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## PERSHING'S CRUSADERS

Government Released Pictures Shown at Colonial Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday of This Week. Enlargement of Theatre Found Necessary.

Last Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon and evening the citizens of Andover had the privilege of seeing "Pershing's Crusaders" at the Colonial theatre and all were enthusiastic over the pictures. The manager of the Colonial theatre has spared no pains in furnishing the local patrons with the best pictures available and has lived up to his promise of satisfying the high demands of Andover. These war pictures are giving the American public the privilege of seeing the vast activities of the army and navy, both "over here" and "over there."

These government-released pictures give the first opportunity to see the boys in action in France, and to understand just what these months of preparation have brought about in combating the Hun. They enable the munition worker, the farm laborer, in fact, every man and child, who has done his bit, to see vividly the results of their labor and sacrifice.

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The pictures also showed the subscribers to the Liberty Loans, Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Salvation Army, Knights of Columbus and other societies just to what use their money has been put.

The pictures showing the mountains of bread baked for the army, the process of manufacturing uniforms, the launching of thousands of airplanes into the air, and numberless ships into the sea, were of special interest. The pictures which exhibited General Pershing, President Poincaré of France, and Secretary Baker on his recent tour of inspection of the U. S. armies in France, gave a fine description of the leaders in the war and what is being done to bring victory to the American Army.

General John J. Pershing asked the Government to build a bridge of ships to Europe and straightway the Government began to do so. Every few days one of these great ships is launched, very often several on one day. These are

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Alfred Harris spent the week-end at Salisbury Beach.

Herbert Cady was a week-end visitor at Canobie Lake.

Miss Fanny Brown has gone to Peabody for a brief vacation visit.

Miss Hilda McKenna of High street is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Clarence O'Connell of Chestnut street has enlisted in the aviation service.

George Temple has entered the employ of George Chandler of Main street.

Miss Gwendolyn Brooks of Porter road is visiting in Brooklyn with her aunt.

Arthur Bliss, Jr., clerk in the local postoffice, is enjoying his annual vacation.

Andrew McKee of High street is enjoying a week's vacation at Salisbury Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snow of 90 Main street are spending the week at Lynnfield.

William Clark, clerk in J. H. Campion & Co.'s store, is enjoying his annual vacation.

Harry Hyland, manager of the Family Shoe Store, spent the week-end in Keene, N. H.

Mrs. Edward Early of the Smith & Dove Company's Office is enjoying her annual vacation.

Walter Lawson of the Naval Reserves spent a week-end furlough at his home on Wolcott avenue.

Mrs. Fred Snow and family have moved to South Amboy, N. J., where Mr. Snow has a position.

Miss Cora MacDonald of Somerville spent the week-end with Mrs. T. E. Rhodes, Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wetterberg and family have been spending the week in camp at Island Pond, N. H.

Mrs. Henry Wallace and son Kenneth have returned home after a six weeks' vacation at Rye Beach.

Frederic G. Moore has returned from his annual vacation and will reside at the organ in the South Church next Sunday.

Miss Annie S. Davis of Oberlin, Ohio, has come to spend the month of August with her mother and sister at 29 Chestnut street.

During the month of August the office of the Andover Steam Laundry Company will close at 12 o'clock on Saturdays.

Foster Barnard of High street, formerly of the Naval Reserves, Hingham, has been transferred to the Harvard Radio School at Cambridge.

The number of books circulated by the Memorial Hall Library during July was 3623. Of this number 567 were borrowed at the Ballardvale Branch.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Etta Lane of Manchester, N. H., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stephen Anderson.

Miss Ann Lockhead of Washington Avenue is spending her vacation at Plymouth.

James Feeney of the Holt District, rural mail carrier, is taking his vacation this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hill are spending their vacation in New Hampshire and Maine.

Rev. Silas Morse of Haverhill will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning.

The telephone number of Thiras Brothers, Main street, has been changed from 31 to 81.

Rev. Frederic Palmer, a former rector, will conduct the service at the Christ church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Russell of Wolcott avenue are spending their vacation at Rye Beach, N. H.

Robert J. Winters of 30 Salem street, clerk in J. H. Campion & Co.'s store, is enjoying his annual vacation.

Mrs. J. H. Kelly and family of Waltham, visited this week at the home of Mrs. Sellars, Highland road.

George White of the Tye Rubber Company office spent a few days at Newmarket, N. H., during his vacation.

Rev. E. H. Prescott and family were at their home, 25 Bartlett street, from Monday until Saturday this week.

George W. Scott, son of Dr. C. W. Scott, has enlisted in the Naval Reserves and is at the training station in Pelham, N. Y.

G. Chester Spalding, formerly clerk in Lowe's Drug Store, began his work at noon last Monday in the Liggett Drug Store in Lawrence.

Rev. and Mrs. George B. Frost of Highland road returned Tuesday evening from a two weeks' stay at Fair View Hotel, East Gloucester.

Cecil K. Bancroft, registrar of Phillips Academy, has been in town this week from the Bancroft summer home at Mont Vernon, New Hampshire.

William Allison of Chapman court, who enlisted in the Naval Reserves as a steward in the Quakermaster's Corps, reported at Battery Wharf, Boston, this morning.

The Misses Minna and Ernestine Soehrens returned Saturday from Kearsarge, N. H., and will resume their positions next Monday, the former in the Merrimack Insurance Office and the latter in the National Bank.

Next Wednesday at 2.30 p.m., Mr. Lindquist of the Wear-Ever Aluminum Ware Company, will give a demonstration of food and time saving at the Food Center, Essex Street.

Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott of the Emmanuel, Walnut Avenue church, Boston, formerly of Lowell, will be the preacher at the South church next Sunday morning.

Privates John McLeish, Edward Roggemann and Corporal Charles O'Connell of the Quartermaster's Corps, and John Hart of the Signal Corps, Camp Devens, spent the week-end in town.

The Halls of Bartlett street have returned from their New Hampshire sojourn, and Dr. and Mrs. Gregg have gone to New Bedford where Dr. Gregg has a preaching appointment for August.

Mrs. Marlborough Churchill will tell of her experiences and work in France at the West Church on Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All friends who would like to hear Mrs. Churchill are cordially invited to be present.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Annie S. Dundas of Walnut avenue is visiting in Providence, R. I.

Peter Dugan of the U. S. Navy spent Wednesday at his home on Highland road.

Mitchell's Home Bakery reopened yesterday after having been closed for a week.

Rev. C. H. Oliphant of Methuen will preach at the Free church next Sunday morning.

Arthur Charles Mitchell of Cuba street went to Camp Devens Thursday morning.

Miss Nellie Brown of Salem, N. H., is visiting Mrs. Frank E. Gleason on High street.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Carter have been spending several days at York Beach, Me.

The municipal service flag contains 461 stars, representing that number of men in service.

Rev. Sidney Perkins and family are occupying the Dumont Clarke house, 215 Main street.

Miss Isabelle Hatch of 8 Florence street is in charge of the ticket window at the Colonial theatre.

Mrs. A. Lincoln Cates returned last Sunday from a two weeks' visit with her sister in Lexington.

Dow Hamblin, son of Principal and Mrs. Hamblin, is spending a few days at his home on Chestnut street.

Mrs. Annie S. Alley of High street has purchased the house occupied by Mr. Dyer, 119 Chestnut street.

Garfield lodge, No. 172, K. of P., will meet next Monday evening. Business of importance will be transacted.

Fred E. Blaisdell of 68 Maple avenue has returned to Lowell after enjoying his vacation of two weeks in Andover.

George Rhodes of New York City paid a visit to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rhodes, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln Cates have received word of the safe arrival overseas of their son, Corporal Harold S. Cates.

Alexander T. Herron of Lawrence will be the soloist at the South church next Sunday. Mr. Herron is a baritone singer.

Clan Johnston, 185, O.S.C., and Ladies' Auxiliary will meet tonight. A large attendance is desired as the picnic will be discussed.

Miss Margaret Scott, who has been spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. George A. Christie, Chestnut street, has returned to Lynn.

Edward Buchan of the Naval Reserves has returned to Boston after spending a fifteen-day furlough at his home on Central street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish of Everett spent the week-end at the latter's former home on Chestnut street. Mrs. Fish was formerly Miss Gladys Thompson.

Miss Amy Lundgren has resigned her position in the National Bank and will accept a position in the Foreign Tariff office of the Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston.

John L. Dugan of Ridge street, chief yeoman in the Medical Corps, Boston Navy Yard, is enjoying a fifteen-day furlough and spending the time at Canobie Lake and Bangor, Me.

Wednesday afternoon a still alarm was sent in at 3.35 o'clock for a slight fire at Lindsay & Young's store on Main street. The fire was caused by an overheated gas stove. The damage was slight.

## COMPANY H IN CAMP

Company H, 16th Regiment M. S. G., Spent Five Days in State Camp, Framingham. Returned Monday Enthusiastic Over Outing.

Company H, 16th Regiment M. S. G. in command of Captain P. S. Page, went to Camp Augustus P. Gardner at Framingham last Thursday morning and arrived at camp about noon. The company detail consisting of Sergeants Bradford and Christie, cooks West and Hall and privates Deymond and Low, preceded the company in order to have everything in readiness. This detail left town Wednesday and carried out their plans for the reception of the company.

The men acquired a good coat of tan during their five days tour at the camp from subjection to the merciless rays of a hot midsummer sun, and returned feeling like veterans after their first experience on the State musterfield. Every man returned in good health, and enthusiastic over their outing, and they also have acquired a valuable training which was impossible in the weekly drills at the Borden Gymnasium.

Friday was Governor's day at camp and Lieut. Gov. Coolidge was enthusiastically received and reviewed the regiment. Sunday was a real Mecca day as many visitors came from the nearby cities and many parts of the state. The local company and the other companies of the 16th Regiment had the privilege of hearing their chaplain, Rev. Robert Atkinson of Haverhill, preach at a service held on the camp grounds. The parade of Sunday afternoon was witnessed by a large number of visitors and the regiment received many favorable comments on their work.

The members of Company H were commended for their demeanor throughout the tour of duty. All of the men showed the right spirit throughout the tour, performing arduous tasks without a murmur. There was so much to do that there was little chance to rest during the day, one duty following another in quick succession.

Cooks Hall and West performed their difficult task in a most faithful manner and deserve the thanks of the entire company.

The officers of Company H, Capt. P. S. Page, Lieut. Gerard Chapin and Lieut. Jesse H. Billington did exceptionally good work throughout the tour and Sergeants Tye, Hamblin, Steyens

and Bradford did everything possible to make the men comfortable.

After a strenuous morning drill in the heat Monday the company prepared to break camp. There was much to do and it was difficult to do because of the extreme heat but it was done and done thoroughly. At noon lunch was served and at 1 p. m. the company assembled in heavy marching order with overcoats containing their personal effects rolled and worn in yoke fashion over their shoulders. The regiment then marched onto the drill field and out of the camp in the extreme heat. For two miles the men marched under most trying conditions.

At 2.30 p. m. a special train was boarded at Framingham and the return journey began. After arriving at the local depot, the company marched to the Borden Gymnasium, preceded by the R. O. T. C. Bugle Corps. At five o'clock the company was dismissed after a successful tour of duty with increased knowledge of military tactics.

### Visiting Nurse for August

The work of the visiting nurse for the Andover Public Health Association will be cared for during the month of August by Miss McCollough. Telephone 229-W.

### Frye Village Woman Missing

Mrs. Gustave Blonquist of Poor street, Frye Village, has been missing since Tuesday at 11 p. m. The local police have made a careful search but have been unable to find her. They dragged the Shawheen river and all ponds in the vicinity but no trace of the missing woman has been found. Any person seeing her or knowing anything about her departure will confer a favor by communicating with her family or Chief of Police Smith.

### Announcement

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Helen Beatrice Higgins daughter of Mrs. Joseph Higgins of Elm street, to 2nd Lieut. Oscar Earl Merrow, who is connected with a machine gun company of the United States Army.

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jekin' roun' whar der's cookin'  
goin' on, 'cause a rabbit in a pot is  
er goin' ter look mighty good to mos'  
ennybody 'fo' long 'count er folks  
havin' ter save on meat. 'Sides  
folks'll kinder have ter save de  
wheat flour fer comp'ny en eat bread  
made outen dis yere "substitute"  
flour. Dat wise of owl done say dat  
to win de war you got ter feed de  
sojer boys dat's doin' de fightin'.  
Dat's w'at's takin' de wheat on meat.

## AT THE THEATRES

## ANDOVER COLONIAL THEATRE

Monday, August 5  
Pathe News.  
Douglas Fairbanks in "The Modern  
Musketier."  
L-Ko Comedy.Tuesday, August 6  
Animated Weekly.  
Elsie Ferguson in "Rose of the  
World."  
Eagle's Eye, "The Kaiser's Death  
Messenger—Robert Fay."  
Big V Comedy.Wednesday, August 7  
Britain's Bulwarks.  
Norma Talmadge in "Poppy."  
Keystone Comedy.Thursday, August 8  
Screen Magazine.  
George Beban in "One More Ameri-  
can."  
"A Fight for Millions," with Wm.  
Duncan.Friday, August 9  
Pathe News.  
George Walsh in "Jack Spurlock."  
Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle Comedy.  
Saturday, August 10  
Current Events.  
Enid Bennett, "Naughty, Naughty."  
Billy West in "The Stranger."

## SHUBERT

"Maytime," greatest musical play of  
the present time, opens at the Shubert  
Theatre, Monday night, August 5, and  
not at Ye Wilbur, as previously an-  
nounced, with the original New York  
cast, headed by Charles Purcell, Peggy  
Wood, and William Norris, not to forget  
some fifty other well-known people.  
This company has been playing in New  
York since August 17 last and it is con-  
fidently expected that the Boston en-  
gagement will prove as successful.  
"Maytime" might aptly be called a  
musical romance. The story is told in  
four episodes, the first occurring in 1840  
at which time the two principal charac-  
ters are in their youth. They are  
Ottillie Zan Zandt and Richard Wayne.  
Fate separates them. Dick goes abroad  
to make a fortune and Ottillie is married  
to her cousin. The story then advances  
to the early eighties. Ottillie is now a  
widow with grey topping her brow,  
while Wayne is a retired millionaire,  
bent upon doing good. The old Zan  
Zandt homestead is announced for sale  
and Wayne, not knowing that Ottillie  
still lives there, bids it in purely for  
sentimental reasons, and when he dis-  
covers that Ottillie is about to be  
turned out, he arranges that she con-  
tinue as before, but without knowing he  
is the good Samaritan. In the final  
scene—it is now 1918—the audience  
meets the grandchildren of the former  
lovers. They meet and are happily  
wedded, and incidentally a bit of family  
business straightened out and by means  
of which young Ottillie becomes an  
heiress.

## COPLEY

The second week of "Brewster's  
Millions" begins at the Copley Theatre  
Monday evening. An elaborate stage  
setting has been provided for this pro-  
duction, especially realistic being the  
yacht scene of the third act in which a  
storm is represented with realistic  
effect.

In its combination of humor and  
romance, "Brewster's Millions" offers  
excellent summer entertainment. Its  
purpose is to arouse laughter, and for  
four acts the audience follows hilariously  
the efforts of Montgomery Brewster,  
as he seeks to spend one huge fortune  
in order to gain another. The action  
of the play is partly in London and  
partly on the deck of the yacht Flitter,

Volunteers for Army Under 18 Years  
Not Wanted

The minimum age limit for voluntary  
enlistment in the United States Army is  
fixed by Congress at 18 years. There  
have been so many applications for re-  
leases from the Army of boys under the  
age who have enlisted that Adj. Gen.  
Henry P. McCain has issued the follow-  
ing circular letter:

"The large number of applications re-  
ceived from parents and guardians for  
the discharge of minors under 18 years  
of age, inclosing satisfactory evidence  
that the soldier is under this age, in-  
dicates the necessity of more care on the  
part of recruiting officers in order to  
avoid unnecessary expense to the Gov-  
ernment and annoyance to troops in the  
field in the subsequent discharge of such  
men, and to avoid placing a blot for life  
on the record of a boy whose offense of  
misstatement of his age arises usually  
from a patriotic desire to serve his  
country."

"Hereafter no applicant under the  
registration age will be accepted or en-  
listed until he has proven to the com-  
plete satisfaction of the recruiting officer  
that he has reached the age of 18 years.  
The proof required will be (a) birth re-  
cord, baptismal certificate, or school cer-  
tificate, or, in case(a), is not available,  
(b) affidavit of parent or of guardian  
with legal evidence of guardianship."  
War News Digest.

## American and German Finances

Pessimistic Americans who view with  
alarm our increasing national obliga-  
tions may derive a great deal of comfort  
from a comparison of the financial con-  
dition of the United States contrasted  
with that of Germany.

The total resources of the United  
States are estimated at about \$250,000,  
000,000; our annual earnings are esti-  
mated at about \$50,000,000,000. Our  
national debt, including the third liberty  
loan may be put around \$12, 000, 000, 000, 000.

and in incident and dialogue every  
moment is productive of merriment.  
"Brewster's Millions" is a drama-  
tization from George Barr McCutche-  
son's novel of the same name,  
and it has been a success both in book  
form and on the stage ever since it was  
first published and acted some fifteen  
years ago. It is light, it is breezy, and  
it pursues its way through many farcical  
situations that are screamingly funny  
and that give the audience no rest from  
continuous laughter.

## MODERN

The best news is contained in the  
announcement of the bill to be given  
at the Modern Theatre, which is headed  
by Douglas Fairbanks in "Bound in  
Morocco," and which will be given its  
first showings throughout the coming  
week. It is a typical Fairbanks pro-  
duction, which is in itself the highest of  
praise, and he does not go to the west  
with its ranges and cowboys for the  
scene of his adventures. This time it is  
the far east in the northern Africa nation  
among the brigands of Morocco, the  
locale being a village on the edge of the  
great Sahara desert. There are the  
Arabian outlaws, and the American girl  
who is captured by the bloodthirsty  
brigands who is rescued at the psycho-  
logical moment by the irrepressible  
Douglas. A Fairbanks film without  
the usual "stunts" performed by the  
star would be like soup without meat,  
and his admirers are assured that there  
is a greater plenitude of thrills than has  
been seen in any recent photoplay of the  
laughing star. On the same bill will  
be shown, also for the first time, Kitty  
Gordon and Irving Cummings in "Mer-  
ely Players," a moving story rife with  
drama, and in which the beautiful femi-  
nine star has opportunity to show her  
great emotional ability and also to dis-  
play many new and stylish costumes.  
Short comedies and news pictures will  
complete the bill.

## TREMONT

Mitzi and "Head Over Heels" came  
back to the Tremont Theatre Saturday  
night and received a rousing welcome  
from an overflowing and enthusiastic  
audience. Mitzi, the irresistible one,  
has come back from her vacation, dur-  
ing which it is evident much work has  
been done of a professional na-  
ture, with a piece rich in new songs  
and dances, with many new players of  
excellence, new girls and more of them  
and wonderful new costumes.

There is a new number for Mitzi and  
the girls called "The Big Show" that  
smacks of the circus and bids fair to  
become one of the season's best sellers.  
Two other ensemble numbers added to  
the new version of the piece are "At the  
Dancant" and "Any Girl." Then  
there are "Mitzi's Lullaby," "Head  
Over Heels," "The Moments of the  
Dance," "Every Bee Has a Bud of its  
Own," "I Was Lonely" and "Funny  
Little Something" the musical numbers  
that became so popular during the first  
few weeks of "Head Over Heels" in  
Boston.

In addition to Mitzi, who is now re-  
cognized as "America's foremost prima  
donna comedienne," there is a remark-  
able cast of principals headed by  
Robert Emmett Keane and Charles  
Judels. Other well known names are  
Gertrude Dallas, Dorothy MacKaye,  
Irving Beebe, Grace Daniels, Frank  
Farrington, William Sully, Carrie Mc-  
Manus, Boyd Marshall, Lambert Terry,  
Joseph Dunn and a large ensemble of  
fashionable femininity that for vocal  
ability, beauty and grace surpasses any  
similar stage display of recent seasons.  
A large opera orchestra is directed by  
Harold A. Levey.

Before the war our Government was  
spending about \$1,000,000,000 a year.  
When the war is ended, interest charges,  
less the interest collected from our loans  
to our allies, Government insurance ex-  
penses, and other necessary expenditures  
growing out of the war may conserva-  
tively be estimated at something like  
\$1,000,000,000. We are confronted,  
therefore, when peace comes, with rais-  
ing only a couple of billions a year revenue  
a slight task for a Nation of such tre-  
mendous wealth, capacity, and resources.

The resources of Germany before the  
war were estimated to be \$80,000,000,  
000. The annual expenditures then of  
the Imperial Government were about  
\$800,000,000. Her debt now is \$30,000,  
000,000, and her resources and manpow-  
er have been severely impaired. After  
the war she is confronted with addition-  
al expenditures growing out of the war  
totaling some \$4,000,000,000.

The interest of her war debt, even if  
the debt grows no larger, will be about  
\$1,500,000,000. Although she is nig-  
gardly in her pensions to private soldiers  
and their families, \$1,000,000,000 a  
year would hardly suffice to pay even  
small pensions to her injured and the  
families of her soldiers who have been  
killed. Her war debt must be paid some  
time and a sinking fund of 5 per cent  
would add \$1,500,000,000 to her annual  
taxation. Here is a total increase of \$4,  
000,000,000 all due to the war.

Of course both the United States and  
Germany may greatly increase their  
debts, but the increases will not change  
their relative situations.

The German Government has drained  
the German people of their gold, even  
their jewels and heirlooms, and yet the  
Imperial Bank of Germany now has but  
little over \$500,000,000 of gold in its  
vaults. The United States has made no  
special effort to obtain gold, has made  
no call upon the people for the precious  
metal, and yet to-day has in its Treasury  
vaults practically \$2,500,000,000 of  
gold coin and bullion.—Bureau of Pub-  
licity.

## NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

## METHUEN

Miss Esther Carpenter of Lowell  
street is visiting her sister in Wakefield.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manchester have  
returned from a trip to Salisbury  
beach.

James Lister of Gage street, spent  
the week-end with his family at Boar's  
Head.

Mrs. Freeman Manahan and son,  
Francis, enjoyed a trip to Salisbury  
beach Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler Douglas  
are vacationizing at Old Orchard beach  
for a week.

Mrs. Bateson of Mystic street, has  
returned to her work at the Methuen  
Company after a month's vacation.

Miss Nellie Alochel of Lowell street,  
has left for Newfoundland where she  
will spend the summer with her uncle.

Raymond M. Hutchins left Tuesday  
for Providence for special military  
service. He was one of the registrants  
of June 5.

The annual picnic of the M. E.  
church will be held tomorrow at Pres-  
cott's grove. The barges will leave  
Railroad square at 1:15 sharp. Child-  
ren under 14 years may go free of charge.  
A good line of sports is planned and all  
are assured a good time. The committee  
in charge is William Stanley, Howard  
Eyers and Miss Isabel Blamire.

Rev. John Ward Moore of the First  
Baptist church, left Monday for a  
month's vacation to be spent at Andover,  
N. H. During his absence the pulpit  
will be filled by the following: August  
—A foreign missionary. Aug. —11  
Rev. Mr. Rideout of Dorchester; Aug.  
18—Dr. Watson; Aug. 28—Rev. Clare-  
nce Fogg of Bath, Me. Anyone who  
wishes to communicate with Mr. Moore  
during his absence may get his address  
or phone number of Mrs. George Fred-  
erick of Park street.

Five local young men left Tuesday  
morning for Fort Slocum as a part of  
the quota from Division 19 which in-  
cludes Methuen. They are John J.  
Lawton, 120 Cross street, Frank Hoigh,  
169 Oakland avenue; John J. Ryan, 9  
Arnold street, George R. Allen, 16  
Holborn street; John B. Berrasse of 113  
Hamstead street. These men were  
selected for special service from those  
who were passed as physically fit for  
limited service. They will not have to  
leave the United States.

The following names are on the roll  
of honor at the Methodist Episcopal  
church, Railroad Square: Josiah Hull,  
Edward Dewey Mainard, Harrison Ir-  
ving Turner, Fred Archambault, Alex-  
ander McKenzie Blamire, Chester Pin-  
ney, Edward Clarence May, Raymond  
Magan Dyson, Martha Jane Macfar-  
lane, James Edgar Richardson, Henry  
Albert Mainard, George Bamber, Sam-  
uel Ernest May, Sylvester Douglas  
Richardson, Frank William Frye, Syd-  
ney Cleveland Smith. Two more names  
Sydney Irving Frye, and Jack Schuter  
will be added. This roll of honor was  
presented to the church by Mrs. Corliss'  
class at the services Sunday morning.

At the meeting of the city council  
held Monday night an ordinance creat-  
ing a board of water commissioners for  
this city was passed. This ordinance  
was defeated some weeks ago, and  
last night was brought up for considera-  
tion. When the vote was taken on re-  
consideration, Councillors Nicholson,  
Riley and Schofield voted against and  
Councillors Brown, Hillis, Gammons  
and Schofield for. Councillor Riley  
protested that under parliamentary  
rules it required a two-thirds vote to  
reconsider, but his objection was over-  
ruled by President Stedman who con-  
tended that under the rules a majority  
vote was sufficient. Councillor Riley  
insisted that his objection be recorded.  
On the vote to pass the ordinance the  
same division was made.

Mrs. Prendergast of 32 Elm street,  
was struck by an automobile while  
alighting from an electric car at Elm  
and Haverhill streets, Monday evening  
and received a possible fractured leg.  
It was alleged that the driver of the  
auto failed to stop while the car was  
allowing passengers to alight, and  
struck the woman when she was pass-  
ing to the sidewalk. Mrs. Prender-  
gast was on the Glen Forest  
car which arrives at the Methuen  
terminal at 11.10 p. m. She alighted at  
the junction of Elm and Haverhill  
streets and was struck by the large  
automobile which was going in the  
same direction as the electric car. She  
was picked up after being struck and it  
was found one of her legs was badly  
injured. The unfortunate woman was  
taken to her home and medical aid was  
given her.

Arthur L. Howard, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Leroy D. Howard of 8 Morrison  
court, who enlisted in the Naval Re-  
serves June 6, has been called to report  
for active service. He left Monday for  
Bumpkin Island. Mr. Howard is a  
member of Sagahew tribe, No. 60,  
Improved order of Red Men of this  
city, and the Retail Clerk's association  
of Lawrence. He has been connected  
with the Treat Hardware & Supply Co.,  
for the past year. As Mr. Howard was  
about to complete his duties at the  
store Saturday evening he was sum-  
moned to the office and upon his arrival  
found in waiting for him the members  
of the firm and fellow clerks. Mosher  
B. Meserve, manager of the company,  
presented Mr. Howard in behalf of the  
members of the firm and its employees  
a soldier's kit and wished him God speed  
while in the service of his country.

## LAWRENCE

John J. Donovan of the H. J. Stanch-  
field Hardware Co., left Tuesday morn-  
ing for a special service training camp  
at Syracuse, N. Y. Mr. Donovan has  
enlisted in the Ordnance Dept. twice  
but on account of being classified in  
Limited Service has never been called.  
He is a member of the Lawrence Coun-  
cil K. of C., and manager of the famous  
Columbus Club Jazz Band.

A local girl, Miss Mildred McDade  
of 36 Sheridan street, who is at Chath-  
am for the summer, writes home that  
although the recent visit of the sub-  
marine off the Cape did not do any  
harm at Chatham itself interest in  
submersibles is still keen. Miss Mc-  
Dade is at the Chatham Bar Inn for the  
summer and together with hundreds  
of other summer visitors was greatly  
alarmed at the recent visit of the Ger-  
man raider.

A committee, representing the School  
Dept. employees conferred again Tues-  
day morning with Mayor Hurley, rela-  
tive to giving a hearing on the petition  
for a \$3.00 per week increase for each  
of the 415 employees of the department.  
After the conference the mayor an-  
nounced that he would call a special  
meeting of the school board early next  
week, when the matter will be laid before  
that body. A joint meeting of the  
School Board and City Council may  
then be held when final action will be  
taken on the petition.

Seeking British subjects who have  
until Sept. 28 to join the British or  
Canadian army, officers of the British  
and Canadian recruiting mission in  
Boston will be in Lawrence, Aug. 5. The  
squad is in charge of Major M. M. Hart,  
M. C., and with him are Captain T. F.  
McMahon, M. C., of the famous Irish  
guards and Captain J. L. Breakey of  
the Royal Engineers. A band of high-  
land pipers and drummers will be with  
the officers on their visit here.

The Lawrence Fuel Committee re-  
ceived special permission Tuesday to  
substitute Friday as a lightless night  
here instead of Tuesday, thereby mak-  
ing it possible for the stores to remain  
open Tuesday night, and on other Tues-  
day nights under normal conditions.  
The regulations provide that "Mon-  
day, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thurs-  
day shall be lightless but inasmuch  
as very few of the stores are open Friday  
nights and Tuesday is the regular open-  
ing night permission for the change was  
sought. It was received in a letter from  
State Fuel Administrator James J.  
Storrow's office.

Gunner Frank Goodwin of the U. S.  
S. Texas has not been heard from for  
ten weeks. His sister, Mrs. Jos. Baril  
of 14 Doyle street, usually received let-  
ters at regular intervals from her brother  
but for some inexplicable reason has  
not had any mail for a long time.  
Goodwin's enlistment was to have ex-  
pired the latter part of June but Mrs.  
Baril is confident her brother would  
re-enlist. The last word from Good-  
win was from England where he  
had landed with his ship. He has been  
in the navy eight years and was on the  
Ohio, when she went through the Pan-  
ama canal with the first squadron of  
battleships ever to pass through the  
break in the continents. Goodwin is a  
brother of Joseph P. Goodwin who was  
severely wounded in France a short  
time ago.

Corp. Timothy F. Collins of Co. I,  
103d U. S. Infantry is the son of Mrs.  
Hannah Collins of 4 Basswood street.  
He was born in Lawrence 26 years ago  
and received his education in St. Mary's  
parochial schools. He enlisted in April  
1917 when it was apparent that the  
United States would enter into hostil-  
ities with Germany and when his com-  
pany was called out in July he went with  
them to Westfield. After a short  
training there he left for overseas  
and has seen much service in the  
front line trenches. He was appoint-  
ed corporal while on a tour of duty in  
the trenches. Corp. Collins was em-  
ployed by Alderman Finnegan at the  
filter gallery when he entered the ser-  
vice. He is a member of the Highland  
Social club and is a cousin of Timothy  
Nolan, a second class petty officer  
on a submarine chaser. At present the  
latter is at Halifax, N. S.

When the city took over through the  
Board of Health, the child welfare work  
in this city, the Lawrence Sanitary milk  
committee was relieved of the necessity  
of furnishing a baby nurse for mission-  
ary work among the mothers with ba-  
bies about to be put on artificial feed-  
ing statue. But although in this manner  
the committee became practically a  
thing of the past as far as active work  
was concerned, it was due principally  
to it that there are at the present not  
one but five nurses who, when the time  
comes to put baby on an artificial sys-  
tem of nutrition, teach the mother how  
to prepare the milk in a sterile way.  
In this manner more than 400 babies at  
the present time are being cared for by  
the baby nurses of the Health department.  
A few years ago the milk committee  
caused to be distributed at cost to  
mothers milk of unusual quality and  
sanitary preparation, but mothers were  
too glad to leave the work to the nurses  
and thus neglect their maternal edu-  
cation. Hence the practice was dis-  
continued and home instruction substi-  
tuted. In the nine years of the existence  
and activity of the Sanitary milk com-  
mittee of Lawrence there has been a  
vast improvement in the quality of milk  
especially in connection with its sani-  
tary production and distribution.

## NORTH ANDOVER

The local public schools open on  
September 4th.

The Osgood mill will close on Aug-  
ust 24th for a ten days' vacation.  
Benjamin Kenney reported for duty  
with the U. S. Marines at Boston, Tues-  
day.

Judge Newton P. Frye of Elm street,  
has returned from Higgins' beach,  
Scarboro, Me.

Town Auditor James W. Elliot of  
Main street, has returned from "few  
days' stay at Alton Bay, N. H.

George Simonds is on an auto trip  
through the White Mts., and was regis-  
tered at Mt. Washington House, Friday.

Beginning next Monday there will be  
collections of ashes and rubbish on regu-  
lar days and routes under the direction  
of Willard H. Poor, superintendent of  
streets.

Ordnance Sergeant Lyman G. Per-  
kins of Camp Devens, Ayer, spent the  
week-end at the residence of his par-  
ents, Town Treasurer and Mrs. Geo.  
H. Perkins.

Miss Kathryn M. Sadler of Boston  
Hill farm, Turnpike street, a Johnson  
High school junior, left today for a two  
weeks' vacation to be passed with re-  
latives in Calais, Me.

Officer Albert Brearley, Harold Leitch  
and Lewis Rokes, members of Co. H. 16  
th Regt., Massachusetts Home Guard,  
of Andover, have returned from a five  
days' tour of duty at South Framingham.

Harry W. Sheehan, a former resident  
employed



## Hominy

Americans! Have we forgotten some of the best foods we once knew? Are you using hominy? Why not follow the example of our forefathers and use much of this good corn product? The first settlers of America learned from the Indians how to prepare the Indian corn for use. They removed the hulls from the dry grain by pounding it in a mortar with a pestle. The cracked corn they called by the Indian name "hominy". Hominy became one of their staple foods without which they would often have gone hungry. They cooked it in huge iron kettles hung over the blazing logs in the open fireplace.

They also learned to remove the germ and hull from the corn by boiling the grain with lye and then washing thoroughly. They sometimes called this product "hulled corn," but it is now more often called "lye hominy."

There are several kinds of hominy on the market. If you do not know how good they are, try them and find out.

## KINDS OF HOMINY

The coarse hominy, samp, or pearl hominy.—This is much like the hominy the pioneers used. The grain is split to remove the germ, hulled and polished by machinery. It is much used, particularly in the Central and Eastern States. It is worth using everywhere.

The fine hominy or hominy grits.—This is made by grinding the coarse hominy. Grits are excellent served as a vegetable much as rice is used. Grits are also used in many parts of the country as a breakfast food.

Lye hominy.—Lye hominy is made at home by many, and also made commercially by boiling the grain in lye or potash until the germ will come out, and then washing out the lye. In many places it may be bought in bulk, and is also sold canned. It may be dried for future use or canned at home.

All varieties of hominy are good nourishing food. Like wheat, rice and other cereals they give both body fuel and body-building material at a comparatively low price. Let them have a larger place in your diet.

## HOMINY DISHES

Try the dishes for which recipes are given below.

Boiled Hominy Grits.—Equally good as a breakfast cereal or as a vegetable. One cup hominy grits, five cups water, two teaspoons salt. Add the grits slowly to the salted boiling water. Boil ten minutes over fire, then place in the fireless cooker and allow to remain overnight, or cook for one hour in a double boiler.

The grits may be poured while warm into a dish or molds and served cold with fruit or preserves for a simple dessert, or it may be poured into deep pans and the cold mush sliced and fried.

Hominy Breads.—Hominy grits can save flour in bread making. Try these quick breads using hominy grits.

Hominy Muffins.—One cup cold boiled hominy grits, one cup sweet milk, one egg, one and one-quarter cups corn flour, two teaspoons baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, one tablespoon melted fat. Beat milk and egg into the hominy grits, add melted fat and dry ingredients and mix well.

Corneal and Hominy Bread.—Try this variation of corn bread: One cup corneal, one cup boiled hominy grits, one cup milk, one tablespoon melted fat, one teaspoon baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, one egg. Beat milk and egg into the hominy grits, add melted fat and dry ingredients and mix well.

This batter may be baked in a greased pan and served with a spoon from the dish in which it is baked as a spoon bread or it may be cooked on a griddle and served as griddle cakes.

Hominy Date Pudding.—You can use hominy grits to make a delicious and nutritious pudding. One cup hominy grits, five cups milk (skim or whole), one teaspoon salt, one-quarter cup corn sirup, or one-eighth cup sugar, one cup chopped seeded dates, one teaspoon vanilla. Add the salt and hominy grits to the milk and cook in a double boiler one hour. Add sweetening, dates and vanilla and mix well. Partially cool before serving.

Fruit Scallop.—One and one-half cups cooked hominy grits, one cup stewed apricots, one-half cup apricot juice, one tablespoon sugar, one-half tablespoon butter. Into a greased baking dish place first a layer of the hominy grits which have been mixed with the fruit juice, then a layer of the stewed fruit. Repeat until dish is nearly full. Dot over with the butter and sprinkle with one tablespoon of sugar mixed with cinnamon. Bake until brown. Serve hot or cold with sauce or top milk.

Dried or canned fruit can be used. Corn sirup can be used to sweeten the fruit.

Coarse Hominy or Samp.—This kind of hominy requires much longer cooking than the grits. If you have a fireless cooker, use it to cook your hominy, or if you use a coal range, cook it in a double boiler on the back of the stove. It is wise to cook a large quantity at once, as it keeps well if kept in a cool place.

To cook in a fireless cooker: Soak one cup coarse hominy in two cups water for six hours or overnight. Add six cups boiling water and three teaspoons salt to the soaked hominy and boil over the fire for forty-five minutes. Put in the cooker and let it remain there for eight to twelve hours. To cook it soft it may be necessary to reheat the hominy and put it back in the cooker the second time.

If cooked in a double boiler more water may be needed, or a cup of milk stirred in about fifteen minutes before removing from the fire.

Boiled hominy may be used in a great many ways.

Serve it with milk for a breakfast cereal.

Serve it plain as a vegetable in place of potatoes or rice, or brown it in a little fat.

Either the pearl or the lye hominy cooked until soft may be used for the next two recipes, which will serve as the main dish of a meal.

Hominy Turnover.—One pint cooked pearl hominy, one cup milk, one teaspoon salt, two well-beaten eggs. Mix all together. Turn this into a frying-pan in which a tablespoon of fat has been melted. Stir until hot throughout. Let it cook until golden brown on the bottom then fold like an omelet and serve on a hot platter.

Scalloped Hominy.—Arrange alternate layers of boiled coarse hominy and minced meat or fish or grated cheese. Pour over all a cup of white sauce and bake for thirty minutes.

Hominy and Bean Cakes.—One cup boiled coarse hominy, one cup cooked red kidney beans, one-half teaspoon cayenne pepper, one teaspoon salt, one-half cup milk, one tablespoon fat, one-half tablespoon cornstarch. Make a white sauce from the last five ingredients by melting fat, blending with cornstarch, salt and pepper, adding the milk and cooking until thickened. Grind the hominy and beans through a food chopper, mix with the white sauce, form into cakes and brown in a little fat. Such cakes can take the place of meat.

Use more hominy. It is a real American food.

## The Labor Situation

Much has been said and written concerning the labor situation in the United States. The Department of Labor has made an extended survey of the whole situation and has set forth the entire problem as it has come under its observation. The department aims to distribute the Nation's industrial workmen in such a manner that the Government industries will have men to carry on their activities and also the producing sections of the country will find sufficient men to do the work on the farms. The following communication has been sent out by the Labor Department.

On August 1, the supplying of war industries with common labor will be centralized in the U. S. Employment Service of the Department of Labor, and all independent recruiting of common labor by manufacturers having a payroll of more than 100 men will be diverted to the U. S. Employment Service. This is in accordance with the decision of the War Labor Policies Board and approved by the President on June 17. (The War Labor Policies Board is composed of representatives of the War, Navy, and Agricultural Departments, the Shipping Board and the Emergency Fleet Corporation, the War Industries Board, and the Food, Fuel, and Railroad Administrations. Its chairman is Felix Frankfurter, Assistant to the Secretary of Labor.)

The above action was necessary to overcome a serious shortage of unskilled labor in war industries. This shortage was aggravated by an almost universal practice of labor stealing and poaching.

While restrictions against the private employment of labor apply only to common labor at the present time, these restrictions will, as soon as possible, be extended to include skilled labor. In the meantime, recruiting of skilled labor for war production will be subject to federal regulations now being prepared.

This drastic change in the Nation's labor program has been found necessary in order to protect the employer and the employed, to conserve the labor supply of the communities and to cut down unnecessary and expensive labor turnover (which, in some cases, is as high as 100% a week), and to increase the production of essentials.

While non-essential industries will be drawn upon to supply the necessary labor for war work, the withdrawal will be conducted on an equitable basis in order to protect the individual employer as much as possible.

Under the operating methods adopted, the country has been divided into thirteen federal districts, each district in charge of a superintendent of the U. S. Employment Service. The States within each district are in turn in charge of a State Director, who has full control of the service within his State.

In each community there is being formed a local community labor board, consisting of a representative of the U. S. Employment Service, a representative of employers and a representative of the employed. This board will have jurisdiction over recruiting and distributing labor in its locality.

A survey of the labor requirements is being made, and in order that each community may be fully protected, rulings have been issued that no labor shall be transported out of any community by the U. S. Employment Service without the approval of the State Director; nor shall any labor be removed by the service from one state to another without the approval of the U. S. Employment Service at Washington. Every effort will be made to discourage any movements from community or state to state by any other service.

This labor program has the approval of all producing Departments of the Government, through the War Labor Policies Board. It must be understood that farm labor will be protected, for the industrial program distinctly includes special efforts to keep the farmer supplied with labor. The requirement that unskilled labor must be recruited through the sole agency of the U. S. Employment Service does not at present apply in the following five cases:

1. Labor which is not directly or indirectly solicited.
2. Labor for the railroads.
3. Farm labor - to be recruited in accordance with existing arrangement with Department of Agriculture.
4. Labor for non-war work.
5. Labor for establishments whose

## NEWS OF ANDOVER SUBURBS

## WEST PARISH

Mrs. E. W. Boutwell's Sunday School girls went to Hampton Beach Thursday, where they will have a week's outing.

Mrs. Herbert Merrick and daughter Francis are the guests for a week with Mrs. Charles F. Merrick, Martin Point, Me.

The young girls of the Parish, chaperoned by Miss Gertrude Morgan, who spent the week at Canobie Lake, have returned to their homes.

Mrs. Austin Huggins and daughter Dorothy have returned from Meriden, N. H., where they spent a number of weeks with Mrs. Huggins's mother.

Edward Kelsey of Toledo, Ohio, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Ella Kelsey who is spending several weeks with her aged mother, Mrs. Martha Russell.

Herbert P. Rose has given up his position in New London, N. H., and has enlisted for military service and will enter Dartmouth College August 15 to train in some branch of the engineers' service.

Medwin Matthews left the Parish Monday morning in company with others of the Institute of Technology, to do practical work in engineering, in connection with the branch of study he is specializing in at the Institute.

Everyone in the Parish is asked to remember that next Sunday evening in the West church, Mrs. Marlborough Churchill will speak on her work and on conditions in France. As Mrs. Churchill has spent so much time in France and worked so hard there, it will be a rare pleasure to listen to her and a large audience is requested, as we are fortunate indeed to have Mrs. Churchill with us. It is also good news indeed to know that through others, she is still carrying on her work that she was obliged to leave.

maximum force does not exceed one hundred.

When the survey of labor requirements has been made and the aggregate demand for unskilled labor in war work is found, each State will be assigned a quota, representing the common labor to be drawn from among men engaged in non-essential industries in that State.

These State quotas will in turn be distributed among localities. Within each locality, employers in non-war work, including those who are only partially in war work, will be asked to distribute the local quotas from time to time amongst themselves. Quotas by localities and individuals are to be accepted as readily as they are for Liberty Loan and Red Cross campaigns. This plan of labor quotas as a protection for all communities.

The object is to keep any community from being drained of labor, and to use local supply, as far as possible, for local demand. The situation, however, is such that in certain cases some men may have to be transported over long distances.

You will note from the above outline that this is probably the most drastic action that the Government has taken since putting the National Army draft into effect. The absolute necessity for this program can be seen when it is realized that in Pittsburgh, for instance, there are advertisements calling for men to go to Detroit; while in Detroit street cars there are posters asking men to go to Pittsburgh. This same condition is apparent all over the United States and in the consequent shifting of labor a great part of our war effort is dissipated. "Department of Labor."

## Vegetable Seed Crop Promising

A majority of the growing vegetable seed crops are in good condition, according to reports just received from many large growers in the United States by the seed-reporting service of the Bureau of Markets. Growers in the East and Middle West almost uniformly reported on June 28 good growing conditions. Some failures have been reported for some crops in certain sections, particularly California and the Pacific Northwest, where hot weather during June damaged many crops severely. Crops growing in the river districts of California have suffered the least from drought and the prospects in these sections are that fair to normal seed crops will be harvested. Hot weather in the spring in the western section will result in damage ranging from "slight damage" to 15 per cent, according to local conditions.

## Students Warned Not to Burn Mid-night Oil

The supply of kerosene will run short next winter and the Government is urging every user to do his part toward making every gallon to do full war duty by giving forth its full measure of light and heat. Saving can be accomplished it is said, only if care is given lamps, lanterns, heaters, and stoves.

The director of oil conservation of the United States Fuel Administration issues these rules for fuel-oil saving:

- Keep all lamps and lanterns clean. Let the light out; don't confine it behind smoked and dirty chimneys.
- See that burners and wicks of all oil-burning devices are clean. Clean burners require less oil and give better lights.
- Don't allow a lamp, lantern, heater, or stove to burn a minute longer than is necessary. Don't light one you can do without.
- Don't use coal oil for cleaning purposes. Hot water will do the work.

—War News Digest.

## BALLARDVALE

Mr. and Mrs. Williams spent Monday at their home on Andover street.

Mrs. William Clemons has been visiting relatives at Hampton Beach.

Mrs. J. H. Smith spent last Thursday with Mrs. Harry H. Hunt of Melrose.

Miss Merle Wilkinson is spending part of her vacation with relatives at Salisbury Beach.

Mrs. George Clemons and son Robert are spending the week at Hampton Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard S. Clemons spent Sunday at their camp on the Shawsheen.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis G. Buck and family are spending the week with relatives in Plymouth.

Rev. J. P. Corder and wife will leave town tomorrow to spend their vacation with friends in Harvard.

Rev. Augustus H. Fuller left town today to spend his vacation at his summer home at Beverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Goodwin of Wakefield, spent Sunday at the Clemons Bungalow on the Shawsheen.

Joseph Cronin has returned home from the Lawrence hospital where he recently underwent an operation.

There will be no service in the Methodist church Sunday as the pastor is away on his vacation.

Mrs. A. B. Loomer has been spending a few days at Nahant as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. G. L. Richards.

Miss Alice Loomer has returned from Cambridge where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. George M. White.

Mrs. Josephine Gage and daughter, Mrs. Grace Reynolds, of Haverhill, were week-end guests of Mrs. J. H. Smith.

Willard F. Lowe of Providence, R. I., was the guest last Saturday of his mother, Mrs. Mary S. Lowe, High street.

Lodge Deputy George F. Tilton of Lowell will install the newly elected officers of Ballardvale lodge Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott and daughter of Somerville are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Haggerty, Andover street.

Services were held last Sunday forenoon as usual at the Congregational church. The pastor, Rev. A. H. Fuller, preached a very practical sermon.

Mrs. Margaret Steed and the Misses Helen and Annabel Steed left town Thursday for Hampton Beach, where they will stay until after Labor Day.

Rev. James Stubbs will preach Sundays during the month of August at the Parker Street Methodist church, Lawrence, during the absence of the pastor on his vacation.

There will be no preaching service at the Congregational church for the next three Sundays as the pastor, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, is having his annual vacation, and the Sunday School will be closed until the second Sunday in September.

## Elected Officers

At the regular meeting of Ballardvale lodge No. 105, I.O.G.T., held on Monday evening the following named persons were elected officers for the ensuing quarter: C. T. Daniel H. Poor; V. T. Mrs. Mina Kibbee; secretary, Mrs. Lizzie S. Barnes; A. S. Mrs. Nellie L. Smith; F. S. Miss Minnie Shattuck; T. Miss Merle Wilkinson; P. C. T. Thomas Brear; M. Arthur Mitchell; C. Mrs. R. A. Wilkinson; pianist, Miss Clara Moody; register, Mrs. R. A. Wilkinson. Lodge Deputy, George F. Tilton of Lowell, will install the newly elected officers Monday evening.

Mrs. Annie Littlewood and Mrs. Arthur Hoffman and son Carl, left town Wednesday for York Beach, Me., where they will spend their two weeks' vacation.

The midweek service will be held as usual this week on Thursday evening.

## Annual Picnic

The local Methodist Sunday School will hold their annual picnic at Canobie Lake Park on Saturday afternoon. The auto barge will leave the church at 12:30 o'clock. The outing is in charge of the following efficient committee: George Brown, chairman; Mrs. J. L. White and Mrs. George R. Moody.

## Interest In Sheep Increases

There is an increased interest in growing sheep both for mutton and wool, according to a report just received by the United States Department of Agriculture from the sheep-extension husbandman in Indiana. This feeling according to specialists of the Department of Agriculture, prevails in many other States. The increase in production is being obtained from the saving of ewe lambs and the introduction of good stock from the western range.

## No Night Mourning

"Mamma, when people are in mourning do they wear black nightgowns?" "Why, no, of course not." "Well don't they feel just as bad at night as they do in the daytime." —Houston Post.

## ABBOTT VILLAGE

Mrs. B. Mitchell is seriously ill at her home on Red Spring road.

Miss Agnes Green of Hillside is visiting friends in Greenwich, N. Y.

Mrs. John Henderson of Red Spring road visited in Boston last week.

Miss Helen Bickell is spending the week with relatives in Merrimac.

Miss Alexina McNabb of Red Spring road is enjoying a week's vacation.

Miss Alice Newton of Essex street spent the week-end at Revere Beach.

William Bateson of Brechin Terrace is enjoying a week at Salisbury Beach.

Miss Alice McDermitt of Red Spring road spent Sunday at Salisbury Beach.

Miss Sarah Madden of Pearson street is enjoying her annual vacation.

Miss Minnie Fraser of Shawsheen road spent Sunday at Salisbury Beach.

Miss Annie Kibbie of Red Spring road spent Sunday with friends in Salem, N. H.

Miss Annie Driscoll of Essex street spent the week-end with friends in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Germain and sons, Paul and Clyde, spent Sunday at Nantasket.

Thomas Low, Jr., has moved his family from Cuba street to Higgins court.

John Winters has moved his family from School street to North Main street.

Miss Annie Burke of Shawsheen road has entered the employ of the Marland Mills.

Mrs. Andrew Gallant of Brechin Terrace visited friends in Lynn at the week-end.

John Mathewson of Brechin Terrace is spending several days with friends in Boston.

Robert Jackson has moved his family from North Main street to School street.

William Davis of Essex street is enjoying a week's camping at Martin's Pond.

Mrs. Charles McDermitt of Red Spring road spent Sunday at Salisbury Beach.

Miss Mary Stewart of Moraine street is spending the week with her brother in Derry, N. H.

Alex Skea of Pearson street is enjoying his annual vacation camping at Foster's Pond.

Miss Bella Anderson of Pearson street is enjoying her annual vacation at the seashore.

Robert Donaldson of the Smith & Dove office is spending his vacation at Foster's Pond.

Mrs. James Cairnie and son Ernest of Red Spring road spent Monday at Hampton Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Valentine and family are spending their holidays at Salisbury Beach.

Mrs. John Eldred is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. George Brown and family of Red Spring road are spending the week at Salisbury Beach.

Mrs. Joe Black of Cuba street has joined her husband in Quincy where he is employed in the shipyards.

Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Demers and family of Cuba street spent a pleasant day at Revere Beach recently.

John McDonald of Red Spring road visited Revere Beach, with his brother of that town, at the week-end.

James Jacobs of the low spinning department of the Smith & Dove mill, is enjoying his summer holidays.

Miss Jean Poland of Red Spring road is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Bailey of Merrimac, this week.

The Misses Jessie and Margaret Hastings of Cuba street are spending the week with friends in Providence, R. I.

The Misses Sadie McLeish and Julia Denaby are the guests of Mrs. Annie Scannell at her cottage at Salisbury Beach.

The Misses Olive and Gladys Snyder of Ridge street and Marjorie Sharpe of Red Spring road are spending the week-end at the Y.W.C.A. camp, Euka, Tyngsboro.

## Campaign to Increase Leather Supply

To relieve as much as possible the unprecedented demand for leather, the United States Department of Agriculture is urging that slaughtered and dead animals on the farm be skinned with great care. Usually the skinning of animals on the farm and the care of hides is not given a great amount of consideration and through carelessness many hides are cut and scored when they are removed. By devoting a little extra time and care in skinning animals to make sure that they are not cut or scored the farmer can increase their value on the market several times. In tanning hides scores show very plainly and in many cases one-half of the thickness of the leather is lost by such defects.

## ANDOVER CHURCHES



## SERVICES FOR COMING WEEK

## SOUTH CHURCH

Central Street  
Congregational. Organized 1711  
Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, Minister  
10.30. Worship with sermon by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmetts of Boston.  
7.45 Wednesday. Union prayer meeting in the free church.

## FREE CHURCH

Elm Street  
Congregational. Organized 1846  
Rev. Frederick A. Wilson, Pastor  
10.30. Worship with sermon by Rev. C. H. Oliphant of Methuen.  
12.00. Monthly roll call meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society.  
7.45 Wednesday. Union prayer meeting in the free church.  
2.30 Friday. Sewing meeting for the Red Cross.

## CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street  
Episcopal. Organized 1835  
Rector, Rev. C. W. Henry  
9.00. Holy Communion.  
10.30. Holy communion. Preacher, Rev. Frederic Palmer, D.D.  
9.00 Tuesday. Holy communion.

## WEST CHURCH

Congregational. Organized 1826  
7.30. Mrs. Marlborough Churchill will speak on her experiences in France. The public cordially invited.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Essex Street  
Organized 1832  
Rev. E. H. Prescott, Pastor  
10.30. Preaching by Rev. Silas L. Morse of Haverhill.  
11.40. Communion Service.  
6.30. Y.P.S.C.F.  
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

## PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL

"On the Hill"  
No services during summer.

## NORTH PARISH CHURCH

North Andover Centre  
Unitarian. Organized 1645  
Rev. Wm. S. Nichols, Minister

Electric cars from Elm Square connect at Wilson Corner going both ways. Take car leaving Elm Square at 10.15 and transfer to North Andover. A cordial welcome to all.

## ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Essex Street  
Roman Catholic. Organized 1850

Rev. Fr. Nugent, Pastor  
Assistants  
Rev. Fr. Fogarty

6.30 Sunday. Mass and instruction.  
8.30. Mass and instruction.  
Sunday School to follow.  
10.30. High mass and sermon.  
2.45. Children of Mary Sodality meeting each Sunday. (Sodality of Mary Sodality members only.)  
3.30. Vespers, rosary, and benediction.  
7.30 Thursday. Holy Hour devotion.  
First Sunday of month. Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.  
Second Sunday of month. Communion day for Knights of Good Council.  
Third Sunday of month. Communion day for Holy Name Society.  
Fourth Sunday of month. Communion day for children of Mary.  
Holy Name Society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.  
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.  
Knights of Good Council meet second Wednesday evening of each month.  
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.  
After boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

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JELL-O, All Flavors,	pkg. 10c
BAKED BEANS, Grayco Brand,	large can 28c
PICKLES, Chow Chow, Sour Gherkins,	small bottle 10c — large bottle 25c
OLIVES, Fancy, Queen,	20 oz. bottle 27c
EVAPORATED MILK, Lion or Van Camp Brand,	can 12c
PEANUT BUTTER, cut from tub,	per lb. 23c
MARMALADE, Sunsider Farm Brand,	jar 20c
BORAX, "Mule Team"	lb. pkg. 12c
SOAP, "Good Will"	4 bars for 25c
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The man, woman or child who is not a part of the war, in the face of the sacrifices of our boys over there, has no right to enjoy the sacred privileges of America!—no right to call himself an American! He is an alien, if not in name, at least in spirit.

The money which you invest in War-Savings Stamps buys food and supplies for our boys over there, as well as ammunition. The money that you put into War-Savings Stamps represents that much labor, food and supplies, not used by us, but instead turned over to the Army and Navy. Will you agree to save part of YOURS for your country?

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And this be our motto—"In God is our trust."  
And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave  
O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave."



### The State Guard in Camp

The editor was fortunate in having the opportunity to visit the local State Guard in camp at Framingham on Friday last in company with the Lieutenant Governor and his staff. He wishes it might have been possible for the entire town to have witnessed the manoeuvres, and to have gotten into the spirit of the occasion. Few of us who saw the State Guard at its inception when it had in thought only a duty more or less along the line of picketing, local guarding, and of holding itself as a moral force, have any conception of the progress made by this organization since those first days. More than one military officer in the group that witnessed the 12th and 16th regiments do their stunts on the Framingham field, expressed the opinion that few if any of the National Guard could surpass in effective drill the work done by this new organization.

To the writer, however, there was much more than these drills and almost perfect "going through" manoeuvres, the superior formations, the martial bearing, the general military efficiency. Here was gathered a group of men not enamored by the glitter and the noise, but still having in mind the primary purpose for which they enlisted,—service to the country. Their drilling meant nothing else to them except the sacrifice that went with giving up in a few cases, of pleasure; in many, many more cases, valuable time for this particular form of public service.

The 16th Regiment had in its membership the men from this immediate vicinity, under the leadership of a member of the Superior Court bench, Judge Cox of Lawrence, colonel of the regiment, whose assistant is one of the leading paper merchants of the state, Colonel Proctor of Lowell. The roll of membership of the company from Lowell, Lawrence, Methuen, Andover and Reading, would be the roll of a fair share of the prominent business men of those communities. From our own town there was the agent of the principal industry in the community, the principal of the high school, prominent men in the professional, business, industrial lines doing stunts notwithstanding, in some cases, rather mature years, not easy for some of the younger boys to learn as effectively as these men have learned them, and coming back from the camp full of enthusiasm for the work. From the broader field it was fine to notice the business manager of one of the principal daily papers in the state from Lowell, the publisher from Reading of the local paper there, big, hearty, substantial himself, but giving of all that bigness and heartiness in the fullest measure to the particular task in which he was engaged. His tentmates combined to make a quartet of men to whom might well be entrusted any task the state had to perform, including an insurance broker from Boston the first in the group, a retired dentist who made his mark in the big professional field of Boston before larger business interests occupied his time, while the chairman of the Board of Selectmen made the fourth in the group. Wasn't that a

quartet one might well envy because of the service they were combining to render? But it was not Reading alone that had any monopoly of this sort of service, for there could be found on every hand men who were among the most prominent in their respective communities and one giving just as generously as did the other.

The round of the tents and the various company sections, brought the writer among the Andover boys in a more intimate way, and it was clear to be seen that from the captain himself to the very last private who had been enlisted, a wonderful spirit prevailed. Everybody said that the cooking was first-rate: all the boys were enthusiastic over the leadership that gave them such a prominent place because of the splendid "setting-up" exercise each morning which became the feature of the five days' camp. The day when the writer was there, Captain Page of the Andover Company was the officer of the day, too busy to be seen, yet because he was so busy things were going like clockwork, with the business of the camp in splendid shape even though there had been but little over a day's work by these new regiments in their regular camp life.

We have seen the boys at home in many different parts, members ranging all the way from twenty to sixty years of age, and we have no fear to have them go anywhere, and be sure that the same pride they have felt in their local activities will be shown wherever they may be placed. The war is doing much for the boys in the field over there; it is doing a lot for us in the many fields here, but none of the home workers are getting more for their giving than the State Guard.

### Editorial Cinder

If the ladies of Andover want a Community Food Center in order that they may collectively work out problems in which they are all individually so much interested, it is time that they begin to be interested in supporting such an institution. The Townsman editor is not one of those who believes that the only way anything can be accomplished in this present "drive" for many things that are so essential in connection with the winning of the war is through a multitude of organizations and innumerable committees. It is quite possible that we may have too many organizations and too many committees, but it isn't at all possible that such an organization as is designed in connection with this food conservation for each city and town can become a useless organization if everybody takes the interest in it that they ought to. Just now the ladies have provided for a regular attendant at the headquarters on Essex street. The attendant is there to help the woman who doesn't know and the woman who does know; in the one case to help the woman to better understand her problem, in the other case to help the woman who does understand to make use of her knowledge so that it may be passed along. There are no women in Andover who are not of one or the other of these classes, and we cannot urge too strongly the importance of a more general interest in this very vital labor.

### Tuesday's Thrift Stamp Sales

Tuesday afternoon the local mail carriers sold the following amounts of Thrift Stamps:—  
John A. Burt 1173.73  
John Lewis 1058.84  
Joseph Blunt 218.56  
Raymond McIntosh 203.19  
Dennis Sweeney 109.95  
Harold Eastwood 64.87  
Vincent Irvine 63.73  
Total 2952.87  
Total to date \$69,145.45

### Andover Man for Chaplain

Rev. Fr. James A. MacDonald son of James McDonald, Lupine Road, has offered his services as Chaplain in the U. S. Army. He applied to the government at Washington for an appointment and if accepted will go to Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., for training.  
Fr. MacDonald was formerly connected with the church of the Immaculate Conception, Lawrence, but is now of the Mission Band of Augustine Fathers.

### Christ Church Notes

During August the Rev. Frederic Palmer, D. D. will have charge of the Sunday service.  
The rector is taking no vacation this summer, but on Sundays is preaching in Winchester, at the Church of the Epiphany, whose rector is a regimental chaplain serving in France.  
The women of the parish, sewing for local Red Cross work, meet to-day at 2.30 with Miss Florence Swift.

### Old Town Report

The report of the expenses of the Town of Andover from March 3, 1828 to March 2, 1829 was brought to the Townsman office this week. The expenses for schools, roads, bridges, alms house and other incidentals amount to \$3194.23.

Some striking charges are noted as for collins the sum of \$18.00 is charged. This sum would not go very far in purchasing one coffin today.

One unusual committee which is lacking in Town reports today was the Fish Committee and the items are as follows:

"Cash received by the Fish Committee in the North Parish from sales of Fish \$144.15  
"Expenses allowed for taking and disposing of Fish 70.69  
Balance paid Town Treasurer \$73.46  
Fish given to poor people 39.60  
The state of the Treasury is also worthy of note as compared with a recent report.  
Cash in the hands of the Treasurer \$1716.27

Due from Collector 648.03-2364.30  
Subject to the following deduction—  
Amount assessed for sundry School Districts \$463.18  
Due to sundry School Districts 438.93  
Orders drawn but not paid 87.26-989.37  
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer \$1374.93

### Annual Picnic

On Wednesday, the 31st, the children and grandchildren of Mrs. Charlotte Baker met at her daughter's Mrs. White's, home for a summer gathering we usually call a picnic. The dinner table is set under the trees and is furnished from the farm produce cooked and served as only Mrs. White can do it. Sandwiches fetched by the guests are also added and more fine bread combinations than I had seen anywhere this substitute year. A Baker can't be beat at that game. Mrs. Sarah Baker Stronek and daughter, Miss Myra, and the brother, Edward Lincoln Abbott, came from Reading; the child-mates of the neighborhood and schoolmates of the girls, added to several allied adults like Miss Mary Alice Abbot, who took our picture, and Miss Florence Parker and myself, swelled the party this year to twenty-four. There was croquet and swing and walks and song and the most friendly beast of the environment on deck. The dog, the new cat, the pigeons, chickens and even the inquisitive mother pig climbed out to hang around till the most expert driver restored her to headquarters. The trees, the air, the sky, after the clean though destructive rainstorm, kept our thoughts far from the turmoil of trade till Mr. White arrived from his elevator service, on the Boston train and one came with his horses from a most astonishing day of high wages on an Andover estate, too rare to lose in frisking, till sunset. Even the village nomad stood afar off scoffing at the good time of the homestead children till I called them German spies and Mrs. White won their hearts and good will with the remnant of the watermelon and they wound their way off through the woods like Indian scouts. Mothers and spinsters have different ways with boys, you see.

I could not wait for the evening songs that followed the arrival of the canoe party but rushed back with the military strains from the camp on the Hill sounding through the valley to get the last war news and resume the clang of the trolley car and the smell of the auto. It is such a treat to get so near rest as this place always affords—the old home of the ancestors, the exchange with the elders, and the joy of the youth in full vigor still unbent with toil or weary-hearted with failure. This is the kind of home-coming our boys over there are dreaming about. We keep up the clan spirit here in Andover in such ways. If you have no blood kin left, adopt some. Keep open-house for the solitary. Give the ladies of the "home for the aged" more joyrides. I hate autos myself and a walk with a comrade or a good horse still is my ideal of content, and slow horses are best. Trolleys are tiresome but steam cars are my joy, having been raised on the Boston and Maine which fetters me back to our guest, Edward Lincoln Abbott, one of our veteran locomotive engineers still in full vigor and the image of his great-grandfather, Enoch Abbott, who drove for Valpey years ago. These all pass across Andover stage, but the old hills remain for a new company as we also climb to the eternal heights that our lads have already reached, while we laugh to lighten the burden of our loss.

C. H. A.

### Advanced in Service

Horace Hale Smith of Lupine Road who has been stationed at Bumpkin Island in the Naval Reserves for more than a year has been advanced to boatswain. When war was declared he organized a unit for coast service, and although the unit was not called as a body every member is now in service in some department.

### Red Cross Contributors

Contributions received from the following during the past week for the Red Cross work are hereby gratefully acknowledged:

Mrs. C. D. Thompson  
Mrs. David Shaw  
Mrs. John H. Flint  
Mrs. Joseph A. Rand  
Mrs. Arthur W. Leonard  
Mrs. Warren K. Moorehead  
Mrs. Wm. H. Ryder  
Ladies' Aid Society, West Church, \$7.85  
Employees Tyer Rubber Co., \$9.38  
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### Pinehurst A. C. Wins Game From Pirates

The Pinehurst A. C. of Cambridge defeated the Pirates, 14 to 5 on the local playground, Saturday. The Pinehurst A. C. has not been defeated this year. The game was fast and snappy up to the end of the fourth session and then in their half of the fifth the Pinehurst A. C. started things going on two singles, a base on balls by Swenson, and then McCarthy, the visiting catcher, cleaned the bases with a long three-bagger.

McCarthy's hitting and Duffy's pitching featured for the winners while the batting of Swenson and the fielding of Chandler featured for the losers.

### Elected Principal

James G. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson of High street, has been elected principal of the West Medway High School for next year. For the past three years Mr. Anderson has been principal of the Dartmouth High School.

### Nomination Papers

Last Wednesday nomination papers were taken out from the office of Secretary of state in behalf of James F. Ingraham, Jr., of Peabody, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for the Governor's Council from the Fifth Council District, at the primaries September 24th, to succeed Frederick H. Tarr of Rockport, who retires this year.

### "Keep Your Head Down Fritzie Boy!"

Lieut. Gitz-Rice, who has gone through many battles, wrote both words and music of this humorous banter, so characteristic of the fighting men. It is expressively sung by the American Quartet.

"What Are You Going to Do to Help the Boys?" is another popular melody with a ringing appeal. Charles Hart and the Shannon Four sing it. Both songs on one record. Victor double-faced record, 18467

### Alma Gluck sings a Handel melody

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A Modern Pictureization of the Spirit of D'Artagnan.  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 6  
ELSIE FERGUSON IN "ROSE OF THE WORLD"  
EAGLE'S EYE "THE KAISER'S DEATH MESSENGER"  
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7  
NORMA TALMADGE IN "POPPY"  
A story that will make you smile through your tears.  
THURSDAY, AUGUST 8  
GEORGE BEBAN IN "ONE MORE AMERICAN"  
"A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS" WITH WM. DUNCAN  
FRIDAY, AUGUST 9  
GEORGE WALSH IN "JACK SPURLOCK"  
ROSCOE "FATTY" ARBUCKLE IN "GOOD NIGHT NURSE"  
SATURDAY, AUGUST 10  
ENID BENNETT IN "NAUGHTY, NAUGHTY!"

### Float Night

The annual float of the Canoe Club will be held Saturday night. This is the most popular of all club activities. Last year fifteen canoes were in line; this year, with the rivalry now existing, this number may be passed. There will be several floats of exceptional beauty. The course will, as usual, be through the village millpond.

Lanterns and candles will be provided at the clubhouse. Members are asked to decorate so the start may be made as soon as it is dark enough, about nine o'clock.

After the float a social will be held in the clubhouse. There will be music and refreshments.

### Tyer Company Picnic

The annual Tyer Rubber picnic took place Saturday at Nantasket beach. The crowd was very much smaller than usual only two cars being needed to carry the picnickers. The cars left the square at 8:00 o'clock and everything went well until the cars reached Reading square when one of the Tyer cars hit another car and caused a few minutes' delay.

The usual games did not take place and everyone went off to enjoy the outing by themselves. The cars started back at about 7:00 o'clock and reached the square at 10 o'clock.

### Tribute to the heroic Dead

From Rev. John Whitehead's sermon Boston, June 30th published in the Transcript of July 27th.

"To the immortals who have achieved liberty in the past we do homage today. They no longer dwell in bodies of flesh, but they live in the spiritual world. There they stand by and protect their principles as of old. They inspire our hearts to preserve and foster that which they achieved. We are one with them to go forward to victory for the cause which shall bind earth with heaven and which shall most fully serve the Lord.

Those who give their lives for the great cause for which we are contending will join the immortal throng who have gone before. They will not lose but gain by the transition. On them we depend for inspiration. They still labor for the cause of liberty and human progress. They still love and cherish and sustain the cause of Liberty. We are one with them as soul and body are one to accomplish the grand purpose of the ages."

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## Field Day of the Scottish Clans

Scottish games of the clans of Merrimack Valley will be held at Burnham Park, Methuen, Saturday, August 10, and will commence at 2 p.m. promptly. Music will be furnished by the Merrimack Pipe Band. All medals have been donated by Walter Scott, Esq., of New York, for dancing and running. The following program will be run off:—

50-yard dash for boys under 12 years. Prizes: First, gold medal; second, silver medal; third, bronze medal.

50-yard dash for girls under 12 years. Prizes: Value \$3, \$2, \$1.

50-yard dash for Clansmen over 50 years. Prizes: Value \$3, \$2, \$1.

50-yard dash for Clansmen's wives or married ladies of the Auxiliary. Prizes: Value \$4, \$3, \$2.

Highland Fling, open under 12 years. Prizes: Scott Medals, gold, silver, bronze.

50-yard dash for single ladies. Prizes: Value \$4, \$3, \$2.

Piping, open. Prizes: Value \$5, \$3, \$2.

100-yard dash for Clansmen. Prizes: Value \$5, \$3, \$2.

Sword Dance, 12 to 16 years. Prizes: Value \$5, \$3, \$2.

Novelty race for boys, 16 years and under. Prizes: Value \$2, \$1.50, \$1.

Five-a-Side football, open to Clansmen from Haverhill, Andover, Lowell and Lawrence.

Highland Fling, open to all ladies. Prizes: Value \$5, \$3, \$2.

First round of tug-of-war, confined to Clansmen of the above Clans.

Three-legged race for men. Prizes, cuff links.

Final of tug-of-war.

Final of football.

Valuable prizes will be given for the last two events.

Committee of arrangements:—Neil McNeil, chairman, Lowell; Norval Robertson, Lowell; John Kydd, Lowell; John Gordon, Andover; Henry Fairweather, Andover; John McGrath, Andover; Alexander Taylor, Lawrence; George Wilson, Lawrence; John L. Wilkinson, 62 Salem street, Lawrence, secretary; Henry Fairweather, treasurer.

For information, apply to secretary. Refreshments on the grounds.

## Obituary

THOMAS J. CAFFEY

The remains of the late Thomas J. Caffrey, the well-known conductor of the Boston & Maine Railroad, were laid at rest Tuesday morning. The funeral took place at the home of his sister, Mrs. John J. Galvin, 38 Gould street, Wakefield. Solemn high mass of requiem was held at St. Joseph's church at 10 o'clock at which Fr. Meheran was celebrant, Fr. Ryan deacon, and Fr. Lillis subdeacon. There was a profusion of beautiful floral and spiritual bouquets, showing the high esteem in which he was held. There were many friends and relatives from Portland, Lawrence, Andover, Ballardvale, Woburn, Billerica, Fitchburg and Lowell. The bearers were James McFadden of Wakefield, Mr. Perry of Portland, Me., Mr. Ward, Mr. Lennon, Mr. Murray and William Johnson, all of Lawrence. Mr. Caffrey was born in Ballardvale. The interment was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

## Hungry Russia

Here in happy New England why should we complain. You recall the old mission hymn of the child that thanked the Goodness and the Grace that did not let her be born in a heathen land. Bad black bread in Russia today sells for \$3 per pound and under a cord system they get one-quarter pound daily. Potatoes are \$1 a pound; rice not to be had for \$7.50; sugar \$11.50; beef \$6; veal \$7.50, in a great cattle land; cafe wine \$75, cognac even for medicine \$250. The Russian railroad buffet carries only hot water.

Somewhat it did not touch me, the quick, painless passing of Nicholas Romanoff, after the long years of misery and the present pain of his unhappy people. "The Little Father" got off easy. No backbone, a child-man full of fears, who can regret his passing. My heart goes out to those who are still to reap his sowing, for he was not mad like his cousin Wilhelm, only inefficient; and I hope Duke Nicholas, the soldier, will be fitted in the future somewhere of his country, a regenerate Romanoff.

C. H. A.

## New Bryant and Stratton Course

The Bryant & Stratton Commercial School, Boston, has completed arrangements with Mr. Arthur H. Merritt to give a most practical course in Salesmanship and Advertising when their regular Fall Session opens in September.

Mr. Merritt is widely known to New England business men as a successful Executive and Advertising man. For five years he was connected with the Eliot Savings Bank of Roxbury, Mass., for 17 years with Chapin & Company shippers of grain and millfeed, and for the last 8 years has been an active Partner and Director of The Franklin P. Shumway Co., Advertising Agency of Boston.

He will retain his active connection with the Shumway Agency and so bring to the Bryant & Stratton school most practical and helpful suggestions and experiences from the active business world.

## Girls Tend Gardens and Pigs

Two county home demonstration agents in New York have organized groups of Camp Fire Girls for summer war work. In Ulster County the girls are helping with the canning and are planning a conservation exhibit for the county fair. In Monroe County the girls have formed a gardening exhibit unit and in addition have purchased 17 pigs which they will raise for market.—War News Digest.

## Food Center Notes

The Food Center on Essex street has been open three times a week for four weeks. A few patriotic women have volunteered their services, but unless others are willing to give a few hours to help win the war, it will be necessary to close the room until September 1.

The special demonstrations will be given as before and will be open to the public. The room has been generously given by John McDonald; the gas stove by the Lawrence Gas Company; the chairs by the Andover Guild, and the tables by the Baptist church.

Next Monday at 2:30 p.m., Mrs. J. W. Feeney will give a demonstration on cheese and its uses.

On Wednesday afternoon, August 7, at 2:30 o'clock, there will be a demonstration of food and time-saving by Mr. Lindquist of the Wear-Ever Aluminum Ware Company. Mr. Lindquist is a teacher of chemistry and is working with the Food Administration.

Unless more applications are received by Mrs. Harry Kidder, during the coming week, the girls' canning class will be discontinued.

Persons having gardens and not caring to can their own produce, may make arrangements with Mrs. LeBoutillier to have it done at the canning kitchen. Market prices will be paid for the produce and fifty cents a dozen allowed on jars. Please notify Mrs. LeBoutillier, 3 Orchard street, a day or two in advance.

A yeast-bread competition will be held shortly at the food center, of yeast breads made with the cheap wheat substitutes.

Many people have found it difficult to use up their wheat substitutes as they have not satisfactory recipes. The Andover housewives are asked to experiment so that they may enter the contest. Good, tried recipes will benefit the whole town, both dealers and customers, and it is proposed to post the successful recipes in various stores. The conditions of the contest and its judges will be later announced.

## Communication

Andover, Mass., July 20, 1918

Editor of The Townsman:

Dear Sir:

I should like to express by appreciation of the finely displayed slogan of "TRADE AT HOME" in your paper of the 19th. It surely does express the proper sentiment and feeling for the business interests of Andover in such a disturbed business era.

Along the same line of thought, I want to say that the retail shopkeepers and other business men of Andover do not ask charity. They do not ask you to trade with them simply because you live here and they do business here. They do not ask you to buy from them something which you do not want or which is not satisfactory. They merely ask the people of Andover to try the local stores first, because when shoppers can get what they want in Andover, it is to their best interests to do so. The merchants ask the same chance to "make good" that you give the larger competitors out of town. When you feel like criticizing the stock in Andover stores, ask yourself if you always, or even often, get what you want in the first city store you visit. Instead of spending half a day in tramping about, why not try Andover stores first. If they do not happen to have just what you want, they are only too glad to get it for you.

If Andover is good enough to live in, it is good enough to trade in.

The proprietors of Andover stores live in Andover, do business here and pay taxes here.

The growth of the town depends upon its commercial activity.

The greater the volume of business done, the greater the amount of money kept in Andover for Andover's benefit. The business men of other places contribute nothing to the progress of the tax receipts of Andover.

Every cent you spend in Andover increases the business of the local stores, makes possible bigger stores and better stocks to select from.

Every cent you spend out of Andover, which could be spent in Andover "takes a shingle off the roof" of YOUR town.

Purchases made in the local stores must be satisfactory. There is a personal intimacy between the owner or his clerks. They want satisfied customers. Your trade out of town is of no personal interest to the owner or the corporation you patronize.

To keep business as nearly normal as possible in these trying times we must go on as we did before the war and for the best interests of our town, try hard to TRADE AT HOME.

R. E. TAILER.

## Announcement

Mrs. E. P. Reed of Belmont, has announced the engagement of Miss Margaret Appleton Reed to Lieutenant Douglas Seabrook Studdiford, U. S. R., son of Mrs. Mary S. Studdiford of Montclair, New Jersey. Miss Reed is the daughter of Mrs. Reed and the late Edwin Reed of Andover. Lieutenant Studdiford is a graduate of Princeton, class of 1902, and is now stationed at Washington, D. C. The wedding will take place late in August, at Belmont.

## Too Much of a Good Thing

"I didn't care much about the way John's clothes looked down to camp," commented Farmer Cornstossel. "Hasn't he his regular uniform?" "Not yet. If they're going to keep him dressed that way in hopes of deceiving the enemy into thinking he's just an obscure peasant or something, what I say is that it's carrying this new kermooing too far!"

## Various Visitors

Among the visitors in town during the past week was William F. Richards of Colorado Springs, Colorado, son of Hon. Dexter Richards and brother of Mrs. M. C. Gile, who was here to consult as to the admission of a Colorado student at Phillips Academy. Another was Dr. Horace Bumstead, an old Seminary graduate, who spent a day with his Brookline neighbor, Dr. Gregg. He was in command of a regiment of U.S.C.T. in the last year of the Civil War, and in a pleasant chat with him we were surprised to find that we were together—without knowing it then—at Aiken's Landing on the James River on the occasion of a memorable exchange of prisoners on Washington's birthday, 1865; also at Richmond on the first Sunday after the capture of the Confederate capital, attending the same services, that at the church where Jefferson Davis had worshipped the previous Sabbath, and that in the African Baptist church, where the great congregation realized a new meaning, as they sang a hymn containing the line, "And let the bands of slavery free!"

On Saturday two gentlemen from Kyoto, Japan, were here, Prof. Mizusaki of Doshisha University, who is seeking information about high schools for Japan, and Rev. Mr. Makino, for ten years pastor at Kyoto, and secretary of the Congressional National Council of Japan, who has just come to America to learn about church activities in wartime. Both were graduates of Doshisha, and visited Andover to see the place where their revered master, Joseph Hardy Neesima, came as a runaway boy from his native country, and where he attended both Phillips Academy and the Theological Seminary. In the cemetery they stood beside the grave of their former beloved instructor in Japan, Dr. M. L. Gordon; they climbed to the upper stories of Bartlett Hall to see Neesima's rooms when a theological student, now occupied by boys in khaki; they saw at the library the portraits of his former teachers in the Seminary and the bust of Alpheus Hardy, his benefactor; they specially were interested to visit the Hidden House, for the name of "Mary Hidden" was familiar to them in Japan, as the one who gave him a home and such kind care. They very much desired to send back to Japan clematis flowers which bloomed beside the verandah, and although Mrs. Knox was not at home, I ventured to clip off two blossoms for them, and they left their cards, with thanks to her for them—in Japanese! They also called on Dr. Gregg who was a classmate of Neesima in the Seminary class of 1874, and went away with happy memories of their visit to the place which educated the founder and president of Doshisha University!

C. C. C.

## Soldiers in France Need More Books

The Memorial Hall Library received Wednesday a request from the American Library Association's Headquarters in Washington for more books from this community for the men overseas.

The appeal from Washington states that new novels and good Western stories, whether new or old, are most needed. Books by Zane Grey, Rex Beach, Jack London Ralph Connor, Owen Wister and O. Henry are very popular. The Memorial Hall Library announces that it will receive and forward all suitable books that are turned in. It urges the friends of the soldiers and sailors, many of whom have already responded most generously, to give more books.

The communication received by the Library from the Washington Headquarters states that over 600,000 books have been sent overseas. The supply is nearly exhausted, and several hundred thousand more will be needed soon by the six dispatch offices which are now shipping books to France. The books are packed at these dispatch offices in strong cases, so built that they serve as a bookcase.

They go on the decks of transports, in cargo vessels and in naval vessels. Those that go on the decks of transports are open so that the men may have reading matter for use on the voyage. All these books are gathered together again, however, replaced in the cases and delivered to the proper officials in France.

In France, the books are distributed by an experienced Librarian, representing the American Library Association. Most of them go to Y. M. C. A., Red Cross and Salvation Army huts, hospitals and canteens. Others go directly to chaplains and officers.

## Silent Prayers for Soldiers

"Each day as the evening twilight fades away and 9 p.m. is announced with the screaming of whistles in this city (Arkansas City, Kansas), every head is bowed in prayer for a minute in silent supplication for the welfare of our soldier boys and their cause across the sea.

"Fifteen thousand people obey the admonition of the ministerial association. The city commission made it an official moment of prayer. Business stops for just one minute, then the whistles sound an 'amen' and the regular whirl takes hold again.

"Perhaps the idea of prayer was never more forcefully impressed upon a people than this program has impressed it here. When you look about you and see every head bowed and perfect silence reigns supreme, you automatically drift into a prayerful attitude.

"Taxicabs here bear this placard: 'We stop at 9 p.m. for one minute while the city engages in prayer for our soldier boys and the cause they represent in France.'

"Traffic stops on the streets and pedestrians on the sidewalk."

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Alteration Sale Price

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Heavy Wire Rack, holds eight jars. 98c  
Deep Wire Baskets, for blanching. 75c  
"Good Luck" Jar Rings. 3 pkgs. for 25c—10c pkg.

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Half Pints. 90c dozen  
Pints. 95c dozen  
One Quart. \$1.00 dozen  
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LOWE — DRUGS

## DELIVERIES

W. B. Endicott, Food Administrator, has issued the following letter to the stores concerning deliveries:

Grocers and provision dealers are urged to so arrange their business that teams do not make any unnecessary trips over any one route or to any one section of the city, and that not more than one delivery a day be made to any one family.

Householders are requested not to place orders with their grocer or provision dealer oftener than once a day, and so far as possible to place them the day before delivery is desired.

There is an overburden of deliveries at present on Fridays and Saturdays, and householders can greatly assist in relieving this by having all their non-perishable supplies delivered early in the week.

Householders should not expect more than one delivery a day, and they will perform a patriotic service by patronizing dealers who make no special deliveries.

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HARBORS OF MASSACHUSETTS, AND SINK OUR VESSELS,  
SHALL IT BE SAID THAT ANDOVER HELD BACK HER  
DOLLARS?

YOU ARE NEEDED FOR THE JUNE  
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Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

### Shall We as a Nation Be on God's Side?

Our nation is face to face with God. Some do not seem to know it, and go on ignoring or neglecting him. It is a time of great opportunity for seeking and securing his favor. It is a time when we are very greatly needing his grace and help.

The old temptation to trust in horses and chariots is being yielded to by great multitudes. There are many who still seem to think that our entire dependence is to be on material force. More perhaps than we think are positive that God is on the side of the heaviest battalions.

There is something of an awakening to the sense of the importance of having God on our side. This is important, but it is not the proper way of looking at it. There are many calls to prayer for God's help. Many cities and communities have their daily times for prayer to which the people are called by the ringing of the bells. On some days the whole nation has already been called to prayer, and the proposition has been made in the United States Senate that the whole nation be asked to pray at some time set each day. This has been characterized by some as a "beautiful thought".

But if it is not more than this it is of little importance. If there is to be prayer that shall amount to anything it must be the prayer of power, "the fervent effectual prayer of a righteous man" that "availeth much." Are we prepared to pray in this way?

The Turks, allies of the enemy with which we are at war, pray every day, at the Mohammedan call, wherever they may be, dropping to their knees and faces. The prophets of Baal on Mount Carmel prayed for hours, unitedly, in frenzied excitement. Are we depending on such prayers as those of the Baalites and Turks? If we expect by main force of unregenerate and irreligious petitions to compel God to wheel his omnipotence to our side we might as well beat the tom-tom of Hindoo priests to bring it about.

What we need is to be on God's side. Elijah on Mount Carmel was only one against four hundred, but God heard and answered his prayer, for he was on God's side. Hezekiah took the matter of the Assyrian besiegers to God and in answer to his prayer the enemy was smitten and destroyed, for Hezekiah was on God's side. Our own Abraham Lincoln apprehended this truth exactly when he said that he did not pray that God would be on our side, but that we might be on God's side.

But are we not on God's side in this great war into which we have been driven? We often say that we are, and we believe that, in a large way, we are. We are opposing the most criminal cruelty and atrocity, the most brutal ambition and avariciousness, the most perfidious violation of covenants and treaties, the most colossal theft and violence of which any nation on record has ever been guilty. We are opposing these things to secure protection to the helpless, to guarantee their rightful liberty to the oppressed, and to maintain righteousness among men and nations. We are undoubtedly on the right side in any contrast between us and our iniquitous enemy.

But we have not taken the right side before God so long as there is prayerlessness in the hearts of our people, or lack of faith in the Son of God as Saviour and King, or obedience to the holy revelation of God's law in his Word, or desecration of his Sabbath and neglect of his sanctuaries. So long as the drink traffic is permitted we tremble lest God withhold his blessing from a people who know their duty and yet do it not. Mr. Lincoln perceived it to be his duty to destroy slavery and the war was won when he put himself and the nation on God's side. Our nation must abolish the drink traffic. There are many who feel sure that putting ourselves on God's side by such a decision would sound the death knell to the autocracy which is arrayed against us.—Exchange

### The Real Puzzle

#### Why The Editor Left Town

The Iowa Register—"Mr. Roberts went to Kansas City with a carload of hogs. Several of the neighbors went in together to make up the car."

### DEEM PICTURE OUT OF PLACE

British Authorities Request Removal of Kaiser's Portrait From Tonga King's Palace.

Germany's interesting relations with the little kingdom of Tonga in the South Pacific are recalled by recent incidents there. A few years back a life-size portrait of the Kaiser mounted within a massive gilt frame was presented by the German government to King George Tubou II, the present ruler of the archipelago. Forthwith this picture adorned the walls of the wooden palace at Nukualofa, the capital of the kingdom. Germans—who, shortly before the war, were rather conspicuous in Tonga—were wont to admire the painting when they came to pay their respects to King George. Moreover, close at hand were busts of Emperor Frederick of Germany and Prince von Bismarck. So delightfully informal in many ways is the Tongan court that the busts did excellent service as hat racks on festive occasions. But not so with the present from the "All Highest." But alas for the big picture of the Kaiser in little Tonga! After the war had been in progress for some time the fact of its existence and whereabouts came within the purview of the British government and that government requested the Tongan government to remove it from the palace. The plth of this request was that Tonga is a British protectorate. But notwithstanding Tonga is a British protectorate it is the last independent kingdom in the Pacific and it prides itself on having not only a monarch but a cabinet and a parliament.—New York World.

### HISTORY WROUGHT IN STONE

Marvels of French Architecture Which the Uncivilized Hordes of Germany Would Destroy.

In architecture France is supreme. It well may be said that without France there would have been no Gothic architecture. The cathedrals of France are absolutely unrivaled, says Cass Gilbert in the World's Work. One has only to mention the names of Notre Dame de Paris, Bourges, Reims, Chartres, Rouen, Amiens, Beauvais and Coutances to bring up memories of miracles of creative design which no words can fittingly characterize or describe.

Wonders of constructive ingenuity as they are, they have a yet more supreme significance as evidence of the refinement and taste of a people instinct with emotion and ennobled by idealism in its most exalted phase. These great buildings give expression to the spiritual aspirations of a great people.

They are constructions of superb scale and fascinating beauty, embellished by tracery and arabesque, carving and inlay, stained glass, tapestry, bronze and iron of marvelous craftsmanship and exquisite design. They are the product of a thousand years of faultless taste, the contribution of innumerable thousands of craftsmen devoted to the glory of God and the love of France. And it is this glorious nation that the hordes of Germany would destroy.

#### Within Sound of the Guns.

A new sound arose in the darkness, a sound which held for me a thrill as vital and incomparably more alluring than the hint of distant battle. It rose slowly, a rich, mellow undulation, which stirred every fiber, and then quavered, descended and broke off. We stood motionless, listening with all our ears, and again it came, unmistakably, from the depths of the misty woods. My companion smiled at me in triumph. His first surprise had come off promptly, even ahead of time, for it was only now growing dusk. We could see in imagination the drooped tail, the hollow-cheeked muzzle raised skyward—a wolf uttering that cry which of all sounds is most symbolic of the northern wilderness; an unrelenting plaint of lugubrious, I could not believe my ears, that here in the heart of France, within sound of the guns at the front, I had heard the voice of a wild wolf.—William Beebe in Atlantic.

#### Use Found for Opera Hats.

From a French inventor comes an advertising sign in which an opera hat is its housing. The sides of the hat are cut so that letters are removed that spell out the words of the sign. These letter holes are covered over with a thin light fabric of the same color as the hat. When unlighted the letters remain invisible, but with one or more battery lamps placed inside and lighted, the hat becomes a conspicuous advertisement. The batteries may be carried in the pocket and wired under the coat to the neck and up to the hat over the hair on the back of the head. The current can be flashed on and off with a switch in the coat pocket. This is a real novelty in advertising signs and one which would be sure to attract attention.—Popular Science Monthly.

#### Cost of Enrolling a Soldier.

Figures compiled from the records of the first draft show that it cost the government almost exactly \$5 for each man drafted, according to Popular Science Monthly. All but 7 cents of this amount represents the expense of the draft boards. In comparison with this, it is interesting to learn that the volunteer system of recruiting cost \$24.48 per man in 1914, \$19.14 in 1915 and \$28.95 between July, 1916, and April, 1917. These latter figures, however, included the recruit's traveling expenses and the cost of his subsistence prior to acceptance.

### COULD HEED CALL OF WILD

Being His Own Boss, This Lucky Man Listened to Appeal and Hied Him to Happiness.

A flock of geese, northward bound, honked wildly in their flight. His feet on his desk, his window open to the breezes of the morning, he heard the call. For an hour he sat amid the conflicting sounds of a great city hurrying about its work. But his thoughts were miles away. His eyes were dreamy. The spell of the wild was upon him.

He wandered in fertile fields awakening to renewed life. He beheld the meadows lush with grass. He sat beside wide flowing rivers and tiny brooks whose waters rushed in foamy splendor from hilly heights above. He wandered to wooded slopes, with trees a-bud and wild flowers peeping from beneath dead leaves. A peace was his which seldom came in his workaday existence in the land of pavement and beehive dwellings. He dreamed on. Brook trout in speckled splendor rose to his captivating hook. Camp fires lit the darkness of his dream night. The odor of burning pine wood and of sizzling trout and bacon filled his nostrils. He ate food such as his city chefs had never learned to cook, with an appetite his city stomach had long since lost. In a single hour he dreamed more happiness than had been his for a decade.

He closed his desk. Another hour found him grubbing in the recesses of the attic. By noon, clad in beautifully ancient garments, with a satchel in his hand and a fishing rod carefully incased in a waterproof cover under his arm, he was at the railroad station. A half hour later he was on his way to the wilds. And a smile such as he had not smiled in months graced his features.

Lucky man! He was his own boss.—Milwaukee Journal.

### SANDBAGS SAVE MANY LIVES

Italian Authorities Must Be Given Credit for Resourcefulness in Modern Warfare.

No belligerent has shown more resourcefulness than the Italians in devising novel means of offense and defense, says a writer in World Magazine. The Italian army was the only one to enter the war with a trench helmet and a steel chest protector, and it is now provided with a more efficient body shield than is possessed by any other of the warring nations.

Early in the war it was discovered by the Italians that many lives could be saved in skirmishing at close quarters if the soldiers carried or pushed bags of sand in front of them, and the present body shield has been an outgrowth of that idea.

They are made in the one-man and two-man type. The former are worn by infantry advancing in the open, attached to the shoulders by a pair of light steel arms, and are long enough to protect the head and vital organs of a man standing erect. Lying at full length, or even crouched, it covers him completely. Each shield is pierced with a small, round eyehole and an oblong loophole for firing from, both of which may be closed by a sliding door when not in use.

The two-man shield is principally used in wire cutting. It is carried on the back of one man, who may also work his rifle from a loophole in the top, while a second man works a long wire-cutter through a hole at the bottom. It is held up by short legs if the first man desires to move independently.

#### Patriotic to Eat Coconuts.

Is coconut pie an essential? The Wall Street Journal wants to know. No, but gas masks are. It is a far cry from coconut pie to gas masks, but we are enabled to indulge our appetites in the one and supply the other through a single operation.

Gas masks contain a certain brand of charcoal which is an absorbent of poison gas, and it has been found that the rind of coconuts, when burned, produces a charcoal superior to all others. For this reason the government has placed the humble coconut on the list of essential products and our friends on the island of Porto Rico are urged to ship as many as they can.

When eating a piece of coconut pie or any other delicacy containing coconut you are enabled to do so with an easy conscience. The charcoal made from the shell of the coconut you eat may be saving the life of an American soldier "somewhere in France."

#### Auto Replaces Dogs.

To a "cheechako," which, in the vernacular of Alaska, signifies an individual who, in the days of the storied West, would have been called a "tenderfoot," falls the distinction of introducing trapping de luxe into the North.

Harry Beagle, not long from the "outside," conceived the idea of setting out on a trapping expedition in an automobile instead of by dog team. Frank Burgess wept with him. Loading their outfit into a light car, the pair set out for the Big Delta country, despite snow and almost impassable roads.

So far as is known at Fairbanks, the idea has proved a success.

#### Waldensians in the War.

"Over 4,000 Waldensian soldiers are with the colors," writes an Italian pastor. Five pastors are chaplains, and the government has appointed a chaplain for the Protestant prisoners interned in Italy. Already a number of Waldensian officers and soldiers have given their lives for liberty and justice.

# THE HONOR ROLL

Abbott, George A. Sergt.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Abbott, Lucy B.—Red Cross Nurse.  
Abbott, Allen F.—Naval Reserves.  
Abbott, George E. Lieut.—301st Inf.  
Abbott, Lester F.—304th Amb. Co.  
Armour, Hugh—C. E. F.  
Armour, Harry—C. E. F.  
Armour, Claude—U. S. Inf.  
Armour, William—C. E. F.  
Armour, James—C. E. F.  
Austerlone, John R.—Aviation  
Austerlone, Alex.—C. E. F.  
Allison, William C.—U. S. Navy

Bailey, William H.  
Baker, John—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Baker, Ralph T.—U. S. Inf.  
Bacon, Edward L.—Naval Reserves.  
Barnard, Foster C.—Naval Reserves.  
Barrett, John J.  
Batchelor, James B.—C. E. F. Med. Corps.  
Batchelor, Wm. S.—U. S.  
Berry, Ralph T. Rejected—U. S. Inf.  
Beaulieu, Edgar—Aviation.  
Blond, J. H.—C. E. F.  
Blonquist, B. Gustaf—Naval Reserves.  
Boudias, Louis J.—U. S. Inf.  
Bogert, Merle W.  
Boland, Steven Lieut.—Qtms. Dept.  
Boiteau, Camille—U. S. Inf.  
Bonnerman, Myrie E.—U. S. F. A.  
Bonnerman, Robert A.—U. S. Service.  
Bowman, Charles W.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Brooks, Alden—French Forces.  
Bradish, Andrew J.  
Brennan, James—Jos.—C. E. F.  
Brown, Sharon G.  
Burnett, George  
Burnett, Arthur L.—9th Engineers.  
Burnett, Wm. L.—318th Engineers.  
Buchan, Charles E.—Naval Reserves.  
Buchan, Wm. A.—U. S. Navy.  
Buse, James—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Bushnell, Robert T. Lieut.—O. T. C.  
Buckley, Fred L. Lieut.—308th F. A.  
Burnes, John—Coast Artillery.  
Black, Robert P. M.

Cates, Howard L.—Veterinary Detach.  
Cates, Harold S.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Cairnie, Duncan—C. E. F.  
Cairnie, Henry—C. E. F.  
Callahan, Edwin.  
Caldwell, James—304th Amb. Co.  
Campbell, David—C. E. F.  
Campbell, John—C. F. 101st Inf.  
Canty, Timothy Rejected—U. S. Inf.  
Cavan, James—C. E. F.  
Cavan, Peter—C. E. F.  
Carmichael, Leslie—U. S. Navy.  
Carmichael, George.  
Carroll, Wm. Jos.  
Cargill, Robt. W.—C. E. F.  
Carrie, Frank L.—Coast Artillery.  
Carter, Thomas—308th Inf.  
Carter, Herbert P.  
Cash, Peter J.—Field Artillery.  
Cashan, Wm. F.  
Cawson, Walter—C. E. F.  
Churchill, Marlborough Col.  
Christie, Robert—Qtms. Dept.  
Cheever, Philip S.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Cheever, Brooks Sergt.—3rd F. A.  
Cheever, Herbert F.—Batt. C. 101st F. A.  
Chiras, Ernest—U. S. Navy.  
Chaitas, Nicolas Sergt.—Artillery.  
Chayne, George—U. S. Inf.  
Chesley, Paul M.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Clarke, H. B.—Naval Reserves.  
Clemons, Robert S. Mjr.—U. S. Engineers.  
Clemons, William A.—Rejected.  
Coates, Alfred—U. S. Navy.  
Coates, James E.—Qtms. Dept.  
Cofantatos, Nicolas.  
Cohan, Michael—Coast Artillery.  
Collins, George M. Corp.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Collins, J. Everett—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Colbath, John—Infantry.  
Colbath, Ernest—U. S. Navy.  
Coke, Arthur W.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Coleman, John—C. E. F.  
Conroy, Augustine E. Sergt.—302nd M. G. Batt.  
Conroy, Raymond Corp.—Aviation.  
Conkey, Howard N.—U. S. Navy.  
Converse, John K. Lieut.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Cronin, Neil Lieut.—Aviation.  
Cronin, Wm. J. Lieut.—Field Artillery.  
Crockett, Frank—Batt. D. 150th F. A.  
Croell, David M.—B. E. F.  
Cross, Jerome W.—Ambulance.  
Cunningham, Thomas A.—Infantry.  
Cummings, Arthur H. Lieut.—U. S. Navy.  
Cusman, M. Joseph—Naval Reserves.

Daily, Edward F.  
Daly, James Jos. Sergt.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Daly, Michael Jos.—Coast Artillery.  
Daley, James Jos.—Naval Reserves.  
Daley, Timothy—U. S. Navy.  
Davis, Charles William—Special Service.  
Davis, Elmer—Co. F. 101st Inf.  
Davies, Thomas—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Davenport, Benl. S.—304th Amb. Co.  
Dea, Robert—Coast Artillery.  
Des, Henry—U. S. Inf.  
Des, Thomas P. Corp.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
DeFazio, Charles Corp.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
DeFazio, Ralph—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Dick, James Corp.—Batt. C. 102nd F. A.  
Dimlich, Herbert C.  
Dove, Percival Major—Ordnance Dept.  
Dole, Percy.  
Downe, Edward—Coast Artillery.  
Dodge, Edward—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Donovan, Michael J.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Donovan, Richard.  
Doherty, Peter—C. E. F.  
Doyle, Frank K.—M. G. Btt.  
Doyle, Charles T.  
Douty, William F.  
Dracoll, Leo—Coast Artillery.  
Dudley, Alex. J.—Army Field Clerk.  
Duffin, Harold R.  
Duncan, James—C. E. F.  
Dugan, James—Field Artillery.  
Dugan, Peter Jr.—U. S. Navy.  
Dugan, John C. Y.—U. S. Navy.  
Dunnell, Howard W. Rejected—U. S. Navy.  
Dunnells, Clifford W.—Medical Corps.  
Dyermond, William—Coast Artillery.  
Dyermond, Robert W.

Earley, Walter—U. S. Navy.  
Earley, Herbert—U. S. Navy.  
Eastwood, Clarence B.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Eastwood, George—Qtms. Corps.  
Easton, Thaxter—Medical Corps.  
Eaton, Charles A. Rejected—U. S. Inf.  
Eldred, Edward T.—Co. F. 101st Inf.  
Eldred, John—Coast Artillery.  
Eldred, George—Aviation.  
English, Chas. P.—U. S. Inf.  
Erving, John—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Erving, Harry B. Capt.—U. S. Inf.

Fairbrother, Charles—U. S. Inf.  
Fettes, Charles—C. E. F.  
Fettes, James—C. E. F.  
Feeney, James W. Lieut.—Qtms. Dept.  
Fenns, John—Naval Reserves.  
Finnekam, George—C. E. F.  
Fitzgerald, Daniel—Naval Reserves.  
Fleming, John Jos.—304th Amb. Co.  
Fleming, W. A.  
Fleming, Edward H.—M. G. Btt.  
Forbes, David R. Rejected—U. S. Inf.  
Foster, Kenneth—Aviation.  
Forsythe, Alex. Jr.—U. S. Infantry.

Forsythe, Wm. J.—Qtms. Corps.  
Froten, Amos—16th Inf.  
Froten, Wm. Jos.—U. S. Navy.  
French, E. V. Major—U. S. Engineers.  
Gallant, Wm. J.—U. S. Inf.  
Garside, Thomas W.—U. S. Navy.  
Gagan, Patrick F.—Radio Service.  
Geagan, John J.—30th Engineers.  
Gillespie, David—C. E. F.  
Gillespie, James—C. E. F.  
Gillen, James B. Lieut.—U. S. Inf.  
Gill, Thomas—U. S. Navy.  
Gibson, Alex.—U. S. F. A.  
Goldsmith, Clarence B. Major—Engineers.  
Goldstein, Charles—M. G. Btt.  
Gordon, David—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Gordon, Edward—C. E. F.  
Gordon, W. A. R.—McLean Kilties.  
Gordon, James—58th Inf.  
Graves, Harry S. Major—U. S. Engineers.  
Griffin, Harry J.—U. S. Navy.  
Groat, John—U. S. Tank Service.  
Groat, Walter—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Grosch, James—Baking Co.  
Greenbow, Wm. H.—327th Inf.  
Green, Ernest—Co. L. 104th Inf.  
Green, Frank—Coast Artillery.  
Greenwood, Charles—U. S. Inf.

Haddon, William  
Hall, A. R.—Aviation.  
Hardy, Roy E.—M. G. Btt.  
Hart, John P.—Signal Corps.  
Hart, Daniel J.  
Hart, Cornelius J.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Harte, Warren—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Hartigan, Daniel A.—Medical Corps, Navy.  
Hartigan, John J.—Medical Corps, Navy.  
Hamilton, Andrew P.—U. S.  
Hayes, Bartlett H. Capt.—U. S. Inf.  
Hayward, Harry W.—Signal Corps.  
Henaull, Charles  
Henderson, William—U. S.  
Henderson, George C.—Aviation.  
Henderson, John M.—Aviation.  
Hibbert, James—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Higgins, Wm. B. Lieut.—Hdq. 51st F. A. Brigade.  
Higgins, Lorion A.—Coast Artillery.  
Hill, Edward Jos.—U. S.  
Hilton, J. Harry—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Hilton, Kenneth—306th F. A.  
Holden, William—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Holt, Herbert W.—Naval Reserves.  
Holt, Edward C. Rejected—U. S. Inf.  
Hudson, Harris G.  
Hughes, Francis C.—Co. L. 103rd Inf.  
Hulme, Lillian A.—Red Cross Nurse.  
Hulme, Edie—O. T. C.  
Hutchison, Douglas—U. S. Navy.  
Hutchison, Robert E.—C. E. F.

Ingram, George Lieut.—338th Aero Squadron.  
Jenkins, Arthur K.—Naval Reserves.  
Jewett, Wm. S. Sergt.—Aviation.  
Jewett, Fredk. C.—U. S. Navy.  
Johnson, A. H.—Naval Reserves.  
Johnson, Albion O.—U. S. Inf.  
Johnson, Arthur K.—Med. Corps.  
Johnson, Gustave W.—U. S. Inf.

Kaashian, Soeren A.  
Keefe, Walter—U. S. Navy.  
Keefe, George H. Rejected—U. S. Inf.  
Keith, Jos. E.—Naval Reserves.  
Keith, Joseph—C. E. F.  
Kennedy, Daniel J.—U. S. Navy.  
Killackey, George L.—Naval Reserves.  
Kimball, C. Cretion  
Kuehner, Frederick—Naval Reserves.  
Kuehner, David—Naval Reserves.  
Kyle, Thomas Jos.—U. S.  
Kydd, Wendall—Military Police.

LaBlanc, Murray—42nd Engineers.  
LaRose, Vences—U. S. Inf.  
Larkin, Eldred—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Larkin, Harold—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Lawson, Edward Corp.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Lawson, Walter Scott—Naval Reserves.  
LeBoutillier, Addison B.—Y.M.C.A.  
Lewis, Arthur R. Lieut.—Aviation.  
Lewis, Edward F.—Naval Reserves.  
Lindsay, Lewis P.—O. T. C.  
Lindsay, Carl N.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Lindsay, Douglas C.—U. S. Navy.  
Livingstone, Geo. F.—U. S.  
Lord, Charles—U. S.  
Lowe, Philip R. Sergt.—Qtms. Corps.  
Low, James—C. E. F.  
Lundgren, Henry J.—Medical Corps.  
Lynch, Wm. Jos.—C. E. F.  
Lyle, Herbert L.—U. S. Engineers.

Macconachie, George—Aviation.  
Macdonald, David—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Madden, Timothy A.—49th Aviation.  
Mager, Robert—16th Inf.  
Maguire, Winfred—U. S. Navy.  
Manning, Benjamin—301st Aviation.  
Manning, Michael J.  
Markey, Francis P.—M. G. Btt.  
McCarthy, Joseph  
McGrath, Michael John—Special Service.  
Meurs, Lewis P.—U. S. Inf.  
Meurs, Elmer B.—U. S. Inf.  
McBride, Patrick—U. S. Navy.  
McCarthy, Jos. John—U. S. Engineers.  
McCarthy, Olin—Naval Reserves.  
McCarthy, William—Coast Artillery.  
McCabe, Bernard L.—C. E. F.  
McCurdy, Sidney M. Capt.—Medical Corps.  
McDonald, Bernard L. C. Y.—Naval Reserves.  
McEwan, David B. E. F.  
McGinley, Michael A. Rejected—U. S.  
McGregor, John—U. S.  
McKee, Alfred Corp.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
McKenzie, George—Naval Reserves.  
McLaughlin, Alex.—C. E. F.  
McLeish, Norman K. Corp.—B. E. F.  
McLeish, John—B. E. F.  
McMahon, Wm. J.—U. S. Inf.  
McMeekin, James—Can. Engineers.  
Miller, Robert—Naval Reserves.  
Mitchell, Arthur Charles—Special Service.  
Mitchell, George K.—U. S.  
Morrill, Byron E.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Morrill, Stanwood—Military Police Sergt.  
Morrison, Phillips G. Capt.—Ordnance Dept.  
Morse, Chester E.—Tank Service.  
Moody, Dwight Ensign—U. S. Navy.  
Moody, Samuel B.—U. S. Inf.  
Moorehead, Ludwig K. Lieut.—302nd Inf.  
Moore, Hugh—Co. L. 102nd Inf.  
Moore, John—C. E. F.  
Moore, James—Co. F. 101st Inf.  
Morin, Arthur—326th Hd. Qtms. Co.  
Mulse, L. Whelton—2nd Engineers Regt.  
Murphy, Joseph.  
Murphy, John—Co. F. 101st Inf.  
Myraun, Cornelius—309th Inf.  
Myerough, Jos. Lieut.—Aviation.  
Myatt, Jos. Wm.—U. S. Inf.  
Myatt, John E.—U. S. Inf.

Napier, George C.—H. Q. 102nd F. A.  
Ness, Alex. N. Sergt.—392nd M. G. Btt.  
Newman, Edward G.—B. E. F.  
Nicoll, Harry Sergt.  
Nicoll, Claude F.—304th Amb. Co.  
Nicoll, Wm. Bain—327th Inf.  
Nicoll, John P.—C. E. F.  
Nicoll, James E.—C. E. F.  
Nunn, George Chas.—U. S. Inf.  
Nuckley, John Frank Sergt.—Ordnance Dept.

O'Connell, Clarence—Aviation Service.  
O'Connell, Walter J.—Qtms. Dept.  
O'Connell, Edward D.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
O'Connell, Charles—Qtms. Dept.  
O'Neil, Patrick—C. E. F.  
O'Neil, John—Co. F. 101st Inf.  
O'Sullivan, T. J.

Paine, Lewis S.  
Partridge, Edward Sergt.—Co. L. 102nd Inf.  
Partridge, Ralph—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Pariseau, Cyril—Qtms. Dept.  
Parquette, Joseph—Qtms. Dept.  
Peters, Joseph Rejected—U. S. Inf.  
Peters, Charles.  
Peterson, Philip S.—U. S. Cavalry.  
Patty James L.—103rd Regt. Band.  
Perry, Frank R.—103rd Aviation.  
Petty, William.  
Phelps, Henry—71st Aviation.  
Phipps, Carl D.  
Platt, Thomas W., Jr.—Naval Reserves.  
Platt, John H.  
Porter, John C.  
Poter, Henry F.  
Poland, James—C. E. F.

Quinn, Daniel P.  
Quinn, Jos. A.  
Rae, John M.  
Rae, William Sergt.—5th Black Watch B. E. F.  
Ralph, Lindsay—Medical Corps.  
Ralph, Daniel—B. E. F.  
Ramesden, John W. Sergt.—101st Inf.  
Remmes, Joseph.  
Renzie, William D.—Co. L. 104th Inf.  
Renzy, William—C. E. F.  
Reed, Albert K. Corp.—317th F. S. Btt.  
Reed, Austin Murray—Medical Corps.  
Richardson, Olin L.—Co. M. 326th Inf.  
Richardson, George Lieut.—U. S. Engineers.  
Rice, Herbert L.—C. E. F.  
Riley, Wm. Jos.—U. S. Navy.  
Roan, John F.—U. S. Navy.  
Ross, William.  
Ross, Charles—8th Field Amb. C. E. F.  
Roe, John C.—Co. 104th Inf.  
Roggenmann, Edward W.—U. S. Inf.  
Rodgers, Thomas—49th Aviation.

Saunders, George F.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Savage, John J.—C. E. F.  
Scott, George L.—Medical Corps.  
Scott, George W.—Naval Reserves.  
Scott, John W.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Scott, William S.  
Seiden, James K. Lieut.—Aviation.  
Sellers, William D.—318th Engineers.  
Shelvin, John—102nd M. G. Btt.  
Sharp, Daniel J.—C. E. F.  
Sharpe, Albert R.—C. E. F.  
Shattuck, Charles Rejected.  
Shattuck, Ralph—220th Aviation.  
Sherry, Charles W.—F. A.  
Shorten, Christopher—Medical Corps.  
Shorten, Henry J.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Shultz, Wm. F.—U. S. Navy.  
Sivia, Fred J.  
Ske, Charles—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Smith, Norman—Qtms. Dept.  
Smith, Horace H. Ensign—Naval Reserves.  
Smith, Courtney A.—Batt. D. 101st Inf.  
Smith, Howard B.—U. S. Inf.  
Spark, James—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Spark, Douglas A. E. Rejected—U. S. Inf.  
Spencer, William—Y.M.C.A.  
Stack, John Jos.—Coast Artillery.  
Stack, Robert A.—U. S. Inf.  
Stackpole, Markham W. Lieut.—Chap. 102nd F. A.  
Stafford, Philip H. Sergt.—317th F. S. Btt.  
Stewart, Jos. Thomas.  
Stewart, James F.—Ballon Sqdn.  
Stewart, Alex.  
Stewart, John J. Jr.—U. S. Navy.  
Stevens, George K.—U. S. Inf.  
Strout, Walter B.—102nd M. G. Btt.  
Strout, John Wm.  
Stone, Van Zandt—Aviation C. E. F.  
Stork, William B. Lieut.—U. S. Navy.  
Sullivan, Steven—Ballon Sqdn.  
Sullivan, John.  
Sutherland, Alex.—U. S. Navy.  
Symonds, John—Qtms. Dept.  
Symonds, George F.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.

Taylor, Thomas D.—U. S. Navy.  
Temple, Kirk G. Rejected—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Thomson, Philip W. Capt.—Qtms. Dept.  
Thompson, A. R.—Red Cross.  
Thompson, Robert G.—301st Inf.  
Thomas, Walter E. Lieut.—Aviation.  
Towle, Gerald A. Lieut.—Aviation.  
Tucker, Robert J.—23rd Engineers.  
Tucker, Patrick J.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Traynor, Joseph—Naval Reserves.  
Traynor, William.  
Tyler, Archibald—U. S. Navy.

Valentine, James B.—Co. L. 104th Inf.  
Valpey, Frank D. R.—319th H. F. A.  
Vennet, Edward—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Young, Charles—Co. F. 101st Inf.  
York, Leonard T.—328th Inf. M. G. Co.  
York, Richard.

Wainwright, Stewart F.—Naval Reserves.  
Waldie, David Sgt. Mjr.—B. E. F. 335th Am. Train  
Walworth, Thomas.  
Ward, Charles L. Lieut.—Co. E. 301 Inf.  
Ward, Paul A.—Special Service.  
Watson, Morrill—U. S. Navy.  
Webster, Guy E.—Batt. F. 102nd F. A.  
Welch, H. J.—Qtms. Dept.  
Welch, James F. Sergt.—Co. M. 326th Inf.  
White, Harold—Co. H. 102nd Inf.  
White, James F.—U. S. Inf.  
White, Donald J.—Qtms. Dept.  
Whitman, Gordon R.—Naval Reserves.  
Whitman, Harold—U. S. Navy.  
Whitcomb, Carl I.—302nd M. G. Btt.  
Whittemore, Helen A.—Red Cross Nurse.  
Whitney, Harry E.  
Wilcox, George W.—325th Inf.  
Wilcox, Warren—96th Aviation.



## SOLDIERS LIKED WAR BREAD

British Fighting Men Found Their Health Improved Through Use of Unbolted Wheat Meal.

A little more than a century ago, when Britain had been fighting for years against Napoleon, food became very scarce. Following is from a book on bread-making, written by Sylvester Graham, in 1837:

"In order to conserve wheat as much as possible, the British government ordered that the army should be supplied with bread made from unbolted wheat meal, i. e., simply the wheat ground without having the bran or middlings removed. The soldiers were at first displeased with the bread and refused to eat it, even casting it from them in great rage, but after two or three weeks they began to be much pleased with it and preferred it to the fine-flour bread.

"The result of this experiment was that not only was the wheat made to go further, but the health of the soldiers improved so much and so manifestly in the course of a few months that it became a matter of common remark among themselves and of observation and surprise among the officers and physicians of the army. They expressed themselves with confidence and zeal on the subject. The public declared that the soldiers were never so healthy and robust. The public papers were for months filled with praise of whole-wheat bread, and it was regularly introduced into families.

"Still, after this experiment with such happy results and so general and full a testimony had been given in favor of the coarse-wheat bread, when large supplies of superfine flour came in from America, and the crops from home became again abundant and the act of parliament regarding the food of the army became extinct, most of the people by degrees returned to their old habits of eating fine bread."

## SURGEONS DO GREAT WORK

Rehabilitation of Wounded Soldiers Seems Little Short of Miraculous to a Civilian.

Foster Debevoise of South Orleans, N. J., on a recent tour through France and England, visited the armies at the front, and speaks with enthusiasm of their indomitable spirit and unflinching hopefulness.

In commenting he speaks on the work done for wounded soldiers:

"The men in English cities, of whom I saw hundreds, without legs or arms, or with reconstructed faces, and those in hospitals in process of being mended, all had the same words: 'If only I could go back again!' And this brings me to another wonderful thing, and that is the way the hospitals are performing miracles. When finally, sometimes after months and months of treatment, the reconstructing process is finished, the men are taught trades and placed in positions so that they are enabled to take up their lives again with a large degree of happiness. Straps operate as muscles on artificial legs and arms; and I have seen such men swing a hammer, play golf, knit, or work at lathes. It is almost incredible what is being done. Hats off to the doctors, I say!"

The United States government will apply the same methods of reconstruction to those of our boys that are disabled or crippled.—Marion Couthy-Smith.

## Saccharin Not Injurious.

Some quite unfounded statements have been made to the effect that saccharin disturbs the digestion, injures the kidneys, or is even responsible for gastric carcinoma. There is no evidence that saccharin or its allies has any effect whatever on the economy even when it is used in quantities larger than are required to sweeten foods and beverages to suit ordinary tastes. And this, in spite of the fact that saccharin has been in use for more than a quarter of a century.

The mere fact that it is an artificial substance remotely derived from coal-tar does not necessarily render it poisonous, as some seem to suspect. At the same time it is, of course, valueless as a food, and even as a flavor it to most tastes is inferior to the natural substance.—British Medical Journal.

## Rubber in Japan.

The rubber manufacturing industry in Japan has developed greatly within the past year in the scope and variety of its products. In the export trade, too, its importance is increasing. The growth of the industry may be seen from the steady increase in the import of crude rubber. The official trade returns state that the import in 1917 totaled 9,689,632 yen over the figure for 1915. Formerly most of the automobile tires used in Japan were imported into that country, but now the greater part of Japan's needs are supplied by domestic manufacturers. The export of automobile tires has also begun with the development of rubber plants in Japan.

## Girls Herding Sheep.

Herding sheep—the loneliest job in the world—is the latest industry to attract women. Wyoming ranchers have given so many men to the war that sheepherders are very scarce. Hence Misses Lulu Munson, Belle Patterson and Grace Keenan, Campbell county lassies, have become sheepherders at a wage of \$50 a month and "found." They have been employed by B. J. Reno, and each girl acts as guardian to 2,500 "woolies." These girls are said to be the first feminine sheepherders in the United States.

## BRIEF CHRONICLES BY LAND AND SEA

Ticks and Flashes Which Bulletin in Condensed Style the News of the World.

## PARAGRAPHIC WAR HISTORY.

Events at Washington Which Loom Large as Crucial Happenings—Industrial Activities at Home and Abroad.

## WAR BULLETINS

Fere-en-Tardenois is captured by the allies in a continuation of the advance from the Marne. The whole east and west line moved up during the day about two miles. There has been no perceptible change in the front from Soissons south and from Rheims southwest.

The German crown prince is reported to have used up all his 68 divisions in the battle in the Marne salient and the Champagne, and the only fresh divisions left are those of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, which are too few to launch an attack on the British front.

A correspondent, describing the vandalism of the Germans retreating from Chateau-Thierry, tells how officers of the Crown Prince, who had been occupying the most magnificent residences in the city, wrecked bric-a-brac, destroyed costly furniture and slit valuable paintings in boorish manner to vent their wrath.

The allies are fast closing the pocket of the Aisne-Marne salient. The British thrust forward southwest of Rheims, between the Ardre and the Vesle, in the direction of Fismes. The French along the Ourcq are rapidly nearing Fere-en-Tardenois, being within three miles of the town. The Americans, coming up from the Marne, are five miles away.

## WASHINGTON

Review of progress on United States shipbuilding program shows that 118 fully equipped yards are now turning out ships and that 44 more are partly complete, of which 23 are more than 75 per cent. finished.

Administration senators launch a new movement for the ratification of the long pending Colombian treaty and will press for action as soon as the recess program ends.

Senators announce opposition to war revenue measure as tentatively agreed upon by the House Ways and Means Committee and indicate that they will rewrite the measure when it reaches the upper body. They demand a heavier tax on profits and oppose 10 per cent. income tax.

Provost Marshal General Crowder has ordered draft boards to stop releasing men in Class 1 to enlist in the navy, marine corps or the Emergency Fleet Corporation.

House Ways and Means Committee virtually agrees on excess profits rates to be included in war revenue bill. The levies will run as high as 80 per cent., with exemption of \$2,000, plus 10 per cent. of invested capital. The committee finds, however, that it will have to seek new sources of revenue to raise \$1,500,000,000 if the bill is to produce the \$8,000,000,000 the government's war program calls for.

Fifteen of the 16 United States ordnance plants authorized since war was declared have been finished and now are turning out cannon of all sizes for use by the American army, an official statement issued by the ordnance department says.

John D. Ryan, head of the National Aircraft Board, is visiting the spruce district of the northwest.

## GENERAL

Hotels, clubs and restaurants will be released on August 1 from their voluntary wheat saving pledge, according to a cable order from Mr. Hoover, who is in London. He congratulates the people on the spirit shown, which, he says, assures a great food reserve.

Gustav Kobbé, noted art critic and author, for many years a member of the New York Herald staff, struck and killed while in his catboat on Great South Bay, Long Island, by the wings of a naval hydroaeroplane.

Secretary Daniels announces that a U boat is still off the Atlantic coast. George Sylvester Viereck received \$200,000 from German sources and Dr. W. B. Hale was paid \$125,000 a month for his services in connection with propaganda work in America, according to statements of Alfred L. Becker, attorney general of New York.

The seizure of three men in the act of blowing up a war plant at Irvington, N. J., reveals a plot to poison hundreds of thousands of Americans, sink transports and the cruiser Minneapolis, blow up the Bush Terminal and create a reign of terror in America.

The age limit for civilian applicants to the central officers' training schools has been raised from 40 to 45. A Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian, has taken over the Reading Standard Motorcycle and Bicycle plant at Reading, Pa. The plant was owned by the Bosch Magneto Company of New York.

A man posing as a peddler sold and gave away at a church parade in Glen Cove, L. I., scores of banners bearing the likeness of the Pope, which turned out to be a flagrant German bid for peace.

A crowd of citizens of Oyster Bay demands and obtains from a householder there a picture of the Kaiser which had been presented to Theodore Roosevelt. The picture was demolished when a seaman in the navy put his foot through it.

Judge Ben B. Lindsey wants American soldiers with Italian army. Colorado jurist, back from trench tour, praises morale of Italian soldiers.

President Wilson proposed the formation of a \$50,000,000 corporation to encourage the production of rare minerals needed for the manufacture of munitions to Senator Henderson of the Senate Mines and Mining Committee.

Tentative curtailment plans designed to conserve the use and manufacture of paper have been made by T. E. Donnelly, chief of the pulp and paper section of the War Industries Board.

## German-American War

Thirty per cent. of the marines enlisted since war was declared are under twenty-one years of age, and a navy department statement says their worth as fighting men, as shown at Chateau-Thierry and Belleau Wood, is an argument in favor of lowering the draft age.

That the Crown Prince's army has been sewed up and that the continued allied advance is proof the Germans can no longer resist the allies is the view of the Paris press.

The war department still needs chaplains.

American troops conquered the Germans after a terrific combat in the region of Epieds and Trugay. After Epieds had changed hands several times the Americans took positions on the flanks, and artillery on the hills raked the ruined village with its masses of Huns. When the Americans advanced there were no Germans to capture or even to bury.

Many American officers made the supreme sacrifice as they led their men in the recent fighting. One major, wounded twice, was treated and continued fighting until killed by shell.

The American and French troops are never far behind the retreating forces, and the vicious rearward actions are not sufficiently resistant to enable the Germans to proceed in the orderly manner planned.

Enemy casualties are put at 200,000, 50,000 being inflicted by the Americans.

## SPORTING

With a right hook to the jaw Jack Dempsey knocked out Fred Fulton in the first round of a bout scheduled to go eight rounds at the Harrison Baseball Park, Newark, N. J. The official time was 18 3-5 seconds.

John E. Madden, owner of Hamburg Place, one of the largest thoroughbred breeding establishments in the world, will sell his sires and stud matrons, with weanlings, and will retire from breeding.

Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, extends the time for the enforcement of the work or fight order as affecting baseball players to September 1, at the same time refusing the owners' appeal for an extension to October 15.

Gene Paulette, once a Giant, is one of the most valuable men on the roster of the St. Louis Americans. He plays first base and shortstop equally well.

John McGraw favors an extended series of games between Giants and Yankees at the Polo Grounds if everything else goes overboard.

Walter Holke was informed by his local board in St. Louis that his case would not be reached for the next month or so and advised him to remain with the Giants until he is ordered to leave them.

If the ball players will wait until their local boards are heard from they will avoid both financial hardships and much worry. They shouldn't give up their baseball salaries and remain in idleness.

## FOREIGN

Duke Adolph Frederick of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, a colonel in the Prussian Guard, has been offered and accepted the throne of Finland, according to a Zurich dispatch which says the coronation will take place in a few weeks.

The German Economic Council discusses measures for regulating world trade when peace comes. One of the problems, it is admitted, is the re-establishment of a supply of raw materials.

The family of the former Czar of Russia is safe in a Siberian monastery at Abalak.

Dr. Helfferich, the newly appointed German ambassador to Russia, was accompanied to Moscow by a battalion of Hun soldiers.

The Paris press predicts the Germans will make a stand along the Vesle river and praise the speed of the advance of the allies.

The food situation in Russia has reached the acute stage, and reports from Petrograd tell of fearful conditions of famine in that city.

Sir William Osler unfurled the American flag at the United States War Hospital at Portsmouth, England.

It is announced in London that Japan has accepted the American proposal to assist the Czechoslovaks in Siberia.

## Community Notes for Fuel Saving

"Talk of shortage of labor is on everybody's tongue these days, yet few know, what is the fact, that reports made through government agencies indicate that the greatest shortage of women workers is in domestic service. Linked to this is the other fact that women in domestic service in their own homes—wives and mothers—are feeling more and more called to render larger war service outside their homes.

"One result is certain—what is happening now will force more and more women to the choice of giving up all else for domestic service or readjusting their homes so as to require much less kitchen work in them, or none at all, says the Ladies' Home Journal.

"Already this is coming about. Thousands of women—on farms as well as in cities—are struggling along without their accustomed 'help', while others are taking refuge in apartments, boarding-houses and restaurants.

"England is already far along the road toward so-called community kitchens. These kitchens have rapidly multiplied and expanded because they have proven themselves more economical in the use of food, fuel, equipment and labor. At them the people obtain and take away to be eaten at home such things as this: mutton broth, two cents; mutton pie, six cents; cheese cutlet, four cents; syrup roll, two cents; roast meat, ten cents; potatoes, two cents, etc.

"We in America are farther from exclusive dependence upon our home kitchen than is generally realized, particularly in cities. Hundreds of thousands of men and women are eating their mid-day meals at commercial or factory lunchrooms and restaurants. Other thousands in centers of war work are eating one or more meals daily away from their homes. More than a million of our young men are eating three meals a day at community dining-rooms, the army camp mess halls. Yet it is said that men are the obstacle making impossible any other system than the home kitchen.

"The situation has reached the point where inquiry is being made as to the extent and possibilities of existing cooked food service. Hundreds of school lunchrooms are giving thousands of children better nourishment than they get in the home kitchens. Women of the Red Cross refreshment divisions are learning something of group feeding.

"Conditions are changing before our eyes. Economic pressure and the demand of the war are certain to continue the process. The real question is how we shall adapt ourselves to them. Each woman can contribute toward the

answer, and doubtless this will depend largely upon whether she thinks it is essential to maintain the home kitchen at all costs or not."

Here is exactly what I needed, taken from some source by the Portland Argus. Here is my idea better expressed than I can do it. My helpers in the scheme are gazing about the South and North Shores and not hunting up experience to report. Plenty of time, I hope, before the hard time comes, to prepare the comments on the plan, which are various.

Mr. Warren Johnson says, "Go ahead." We might make his war bread for him if we get underway and the fuel saved to go to help those less lucky. Make it a matter of civil service, not federal.

A subscription fund placed safely to meet expenses of a start, some one with business ability and integrity, of which we have a large stock on hand in this good old town, some one who can buy shrewdly but see that no waste comes in distributing; competent skill in use and management of foodstuff, Victory bread from good recipes; chowder and soup, etc. A cooking plant is needed, with the most efficient fuel and appliances, fireless cookers to perfect hominy, corn pudding, etc., things we all are asked to eat that Flanders nor Elliott have time nor room nor desire to supply; things a home kitchen will have to eliminate if what is threatened comes to pass. My neighbor with ample salary and I with my penny savings must share alike. We can go to the plant with our own containers, saving a dishwasher there and eliminate expense of delivery. Have a Waldorf style of feeding for those too hurried for home service and whose families must be fed in school lunches and noon lunches, extra expense of fuel to the man of the house who must have the best he can secure to keep up his backbone.

Well, I have heard a lot of comment already as well as approval. The matter of co-operation is a new one to a Yankee town like ours. The late Henry Gray could do all the work needed in house and outside on his model farm—horse-shoeing, cattle wants etc.; nothing had to be done by the baker, the laundryman or the village blacksmith. He was the survival of the old-type of all-round Yankee. In my own home we did the painting, the whitewashing, the papering, the carpenter repairs, even most of the plumbing. Those days are gone as well as the hired man and girl, the seamstress by the day and other things done in every house as we tried to catch up after the Civil War. The readymade clothes, the caterer's ice cream cart, the baker's

shop, the delicatessen shop all have come to help us out in our crowded life even in peace time. Andover will never come back save in camping-out time, and then the handy tin can will carry about all we need to supplement game or fish supplies.

There are those who like myself prefer a nice plain restaurant with food served in small portions by individual managers, who have special recipes and win friends to their tables thereby, not a Waldorf parade. We have been rather short of eating facilities during the summer after the boys leave us. Mrs. Dalton once entertained a lady of my business acquaintance with her own home supply of cold coffee and as for bread that day I wonder what the children got. Usually Monday morning found the town all out till Friend Brothers' cart came, and they sell only to retail dealers. In peace times Andover is dubbed "Starvation camp" in my business circles in vacation time and many man acquaintances you can't invite to an impromptu spread after 1 p.m., and he has to go to Lawrence if too late for our one hotel or the boarding-house hours of service. To such stray vagabonds of travel we can hold out the Waldorf restaurant we hope to get at work for such emergencies. It will take brains and money and paid labor, wages reduced to the minimum, in small matters brains paid well, but we shall be fed and not suffer from the added hunger to what will be sure a fuel famine. So perhaps the town can come to the rescue, give us aid in a self-respecting food service at the least profit.

This idea of co-operating seems to startle most of my women commenters. They think no one will be able to handle the matter. Of course, I do not take the eating-room of the Phillips Academy as an example; the margin there goes to waste that with care could be eliminated. Even with a fair margin of profit we shall get these substitutes cooked for us, and I guess those who can afford to pay a bit over, will find many a case of need, especially in soldier patient families this hard winter ahead. There are so many who will never complain they must be sought out. A public and handy feeding supply is going to help them. If all apply, rich and poor alike, the busy postmaster next door, who hates to spare the time to go home at noon, the mill worker, the clerk with the home table to supply at night and morning, one need not mind running around town with a hominy can or a soup pitcher.

While I write this article, I must go hungry for lack of time to prepare my shredded cod and potatoes the government desires. But I will stop here to

feed and continue with the most unique comment from one business man. I am not sure he is in earnest, but when I get to his say-so you may take in where I fail.

C. H. A.

## Refrigerators

Many housewives have learned from sad experiences in loss of perishable foods that next to the ice is not the coldest place in the home refrigerator. To the housewife who has not had this experience the Food Administration gives this advice:

"Many put their butter and milk right close to the ice because they think this is the coldest place, but, as a matter of fact, the coldest place is at the bottom of the refrigerator. Hot air rises, and the air that is not being constantly purified by circulation around the blocks of ice soon is unfit to come into contact with the food. When the warm air rises it carries with it impurities and moisture which are absorbed from the surface of the food, and which if allowed to remain in the air spoil the food. The air which is warmed by passing over the food comes in contact with the ice where the moisture is condensed upon the surface and the impurities are carried off by the melting ice. The air is thus dried, cooled, and purified. The cooled air immediately descends to gather up more moisture and impurities and thus the process is repeated continually.


"It is advisable to allow heated food to cool off before placing it in the refrigerator. If put in when warm it raises the temperature of the refrigerator higher than it should go and melts ice unnecessarily. The trapdoor through which the refrigerant passes out at the bottom of the refrigerator should be kept in place, because if it is broken or lost a constant stream of warm air is allowed to flow into the refrigerator."—Exchange

## Mailing Yourself Money

Every time you stick a Thrift or War Savings Stamp on your card you are mailing money to yourself to be received later with interest. Cashing in these stamps is going to be better than "getting money from home," for with the money comes the reminder that you contributed to the great victory which then will have been completely won.—Bureau of Publicity.

## Even In A Dry Town

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### PERSHING'S CRUSADERS

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carrying guns, ammunition, clothing and food to our boys at the front and to our Allies. This bridge of ships is something that Kaiser Bill can't blow up, despite his attempts and his promises to do so. Now the American "barrage queens" are banging away on the Western Front, the 14-inch guns that are hurling tons of American righteous anger into the Boche dugouts. As every shell hits its mark it means a step forward in the fight for right and at the sound the Kaiser and his war lords shake with fear, for they know that it means the end of their dreams of world domain.

The pictures are a revelation of a nation aroused in all its might. When you see what your Government is doing you will put your shoulder to the wheel with new vigor. Here is the truth about the war. Here is Uncle Sam's answer to the lies of the Hun.

"Pershing's Crusaders" should be seen not only by every grown-up but by the children. It is thrilling. It is inspiring and it is helpful.

Large audiences of local people witnessed these instructive and valuable pictures this week. Tuesday evening the manager had the good fortune to secure Hon. John N. Cole as speaker, who gave one of his racy, patriotic speeches, which was very much enjoyed and enthusiastically received.

A proof that Manager Resnik has provided popular entertainment is seen by the fact that the seating capacity of the theatre has become too small for the audiences and an addition is contemplated. About twenty-five feet will be added to the auditorium and operations on the extension will be begun soon. There will be no delay in the daily exhibition of the pictures, as the work will not interfere with the screen until the addition is complete.

Wednesday afternoon the Phillips Academy R.O.T.C. battalion attended the theatre and witnessed "Pershing's Crusaders", and expressed their appreciation of the exhibition by rousing cheers. The battalion was accompanied by Major Davy, Captain Page, and Lieutenant Wyatt.

### R. O. T. C. Ball Game

The last of the inter-company baseball games was played at 6.30 Wednesday evening. Company D won the championship by defeating Company A 7 to 3, and have a clean record of wins. Capt. Danforth, catcher, and Hunt, pitcher, excelled for the winners. The lineup:

CO. D	CO. A
Hunt (Capt.), p.	c.f. Mann
Danforth, 2b	s.s. W. Bolton
DeCamp, 1b	3b I. Wight
D. Wight, 2b	1b, c. Gibson
Clough, s.s.	p. s.s. Hunt
Mandell, 3b	L.F. Dededer
McLaren, r.f.	2b, c. Foote
Bruen, c.f.	r.f. Selden
Carse, l.f.	2b Secor (Capt.)

Company B, which has improved wonderfully since the first game, came through and won from Company C, 11 to 7. The lineup:

CO. B	CO. C
Strong, c.	c. A. Farley
K. Bolton, p.	p. J. T. Houk
Cameron, 1b	1b Healey
Newbold, 2b	s.s. Wade
Dole, s.s.	2b Woolley
Spitzer, 3b	3b Leeds
Taylor, c.f.	L.F. Chittick
Whipp, l.f.	c.f. Smith
Jones, r.f.	r.f. Getty

### Mother Knew

Little Girl (before statue in Museum)  
Mamma, who's this?  
Attendant (after a pause)—That's Mercury, the messenger of the gods. You have read about him, no doubt.  
Mother—Of course she has. But, do you know, my little girl has a very poor memory for Scripture.

### High Cost of Learning

Mrs. Smith—Really, Mr. Giles, your prices are getting exorbitant.  
Farmer Giles—Well, mum, it's this way: When a chap 'as to know the botanical name of what 'e grows, an' the zoological name of the insect wot eats it, an' the chemical name of wot kills the insect, someone's got to pay for it! Passing Show

### French Idea of Boy Scouts

The scout program as taught to the youth of this country through the Boy Scouts of America has proved to be so effective in the making of good soldiers and in actual warfare that the French Government has decided to prepare a system of physical and moral training based on it.

French Secretary of Foreign Affairs expresses his opinion of this work and the result of the training.

"Boy Scouts organizations are now united in a federation. Wednesday I presented a message to the Federation, General De Berckheim (president of the French Federation of Boy Scouts) presided. I was elected an honorary member. In his address Dr. Berckheim said our officers and soldiers show the result of scout training; their strength comes from their spirit; it is desirable to have our soldiers act as scoutmasters in towns where they are located. Boy Scouts here are always on duty and in uniform."

"The Government is preparing a general system of physical and moral training along scout lines. The meeting ordered the following message cable to you: 'The Boy Scouts of France and the Federated Boy Scouts Union of France have been thrilled by the message conveyed to them by Dr. Macfarland in behalf of the Boy Scouts of America. From deeply wounded hearts they send you their greetings and respond with the cry: 'America and France Onward Together until Final Victory.' The Minister of War sent Commandant Royet as a special representative to the meeting."

"PINCHON"  
The Dr. Macfarland mentioned in Secretary Pinchon's cablegram is Dr. Charles S. Macfarland, who recently sailed from the United States as Special Commissioner of the Boy Scouts of America to France and the other allied countries in Europe. He carries a message of encouragement from the more than 448,000 scouts and scout officials of the United States to their scout brothers in the European fighting forces.

Dr. Macfarland has been received also by Premier Clemenceau of France and by General Pershing.  
Dr. Macfarland is Executive Secretary of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America and has an international reputation as a worker for christian unity, has been officially notified that he is a guest of the French nation while on his mission, which will mean so much to the Boy Scouts of America and their war-weary scout brothers on the French and other fighting fronts.

There are already in our forces in France more than 100,000 soldiers who were Boy Scouts of America or scout officials, and the fact that a very large proportion of them have been made officers shows the practical value of scouting.

### Spies About Us

To Editor of Herald and Journal:  
In the Sunday edition a correspondent interrogatively states that though we know nothing of sailing of ships, government plans, etc., the German command seems familiar with them. The reason why the Germans really do know is that now in this country there is a corps of German reservists, working under the very nose of our government and paid by it, who are highly intelligent and are at perfect liberty to send a stream of news to Germany by means of their agents in Rotterdam and Stockholm. Who doubts that they take full advantage of all opportunities to aid their land?

Some of these men are actually making ammunition for our soldiers and are receiving large salaries that they are free to send to Germany, for there are ways still open, where the money may be converted into shot and shell to kill our lads. One of this clever gang has been interned at Fort Oglethorpe, but others are still mixing with our best people and spreading their pernicious propaganda. To allow these men to live here in safety and luxury while our own are dying in France is a ghastly mockery of that evanescent element we Americans love to prate about as justice.

JOHN C. BOWKER, M. D.  
Lawrence, July 16

### Merry England

"Just ask Dr. Jones to run around to my place right away. Our cook's fallen downstairs, broke her leg; the housemaid's got chicken-pox, and my two boys have been knocked down by a taxi."—  
"I'm sorry, sir, but the doctor was blown up in yesterday's air raid and he won't be down for a week."—Exchange.



U. S. Food Administration.  
Ol' Squire 'Tater 'low he goin' to be mighty high king er de roost 'mong garden sass folks. We all kin eat him as a 'tater boiled, baked, fried, stewed, cooked wid cheese en dey gettin' so dey make him inter flour; so's we kin 'substi-tute' him fo' wheat flour. He's de 'substitutenest' of all de vittles, he sez.  
De udder garden sass folks lak Inguna, tomatoes, cabbage en turnips en squash don't need to git peeved, 'cause dey's goin' to be room in de pot fo' de whole tribe. Eys' las' one on 'em can he'd save wheat en meat fer de boys dat's doin' de fightin' over yander.

### NAME GUNS BETSY AND ELSIE

Yankee Artillery at the Front Follow  
Gallant Custom of French  
Cannoneers.

Following a gallant custom of the French artillery, the boys of Battery B in one of our own F. A. regiments, decided to name their guns after those whom they considered the outstanding figures among the patriotic women of American history.

Many were named but two were chosen. The first, according to Stars and Stripes, France, was Betsy Ross, who, in her little house in Philadelphia, made for General Washington the first American flag. The second was Elsie Janis, who, in the little huts of France, made the first hit of the A. E. F.

"These guns are of the railway artillery," the captain says, "and among the most powerful in France, and the names selected are now painted on the carriages, where they will be constant inspiration in the future, and, we hope, a credit to their namesakes."

One of these two namesakes, who probably never thought of herself as a figure in American history at all, is just back from a tour of the front where she had a good many thrills, including the thrill of finding her name in divisional general orders.

There she delighted one of the bands by turning drum major throughout a long march, cheered up some young German prisoners by talking to them in their own tongue, and came away much pleased by the news that Elsie Janis II had just raised merry h— with a German machine gun emplacement.

### WEARIED OF CONSTANT BRAY

Spaniards Make Offer to Exchange  
Mules for Something That Has  
More Musical Sound.

A little while ago it was reputed that the army mule in France, invaluable for transport, was making himself obnoxious by his propensity to bray when in close proximity to the enemy. And now, according to advances received by the National Piano Manufacturers' association, the Spaniards are anxious to dispose of their mules to us and to obtain in return pianos and other musical instruments.

Evidently what Wordsworth calls "the hard, dry see-saw of his horrible bray" is no better relished by the esthetic consciousness of the Iberians than by the valiant gentlemen of France. It is doubtful whether even an implacable futurist in music like Leo Ornstein or Arnold Schoenberg derives genuine satisfaction from the student cantatas and blatant oratorios of the mule. Some cynics have detected a resemblance between the voice of the bagpipe and the mule's spontaneous lyricism, but this is a libel.

With patience one can detect a definite melody in the Scotch pibrochs and strathspeys, whereas mule music like the world in the making, is without form and void. As long as Spain is not at war she can afford to dance the fandango and play the mandolin. When by the logic of events she is swept out of her neutrality into beligerency and has to haul cannon and wagons, she will wish she had the mule.—Philadelphia Ledger.

### Mascagni and the War

Pietro Mascagni, the celebrated composer, once told how the opening chorus of "Cavaleria" was composed on the night of February 3, 1880, when his first child was born. That son, Mimì, is now, or was recently, driving a motor-truck for the Italian army; and a second boy, Dino, became a private in the engineer corps, blowing up Austrian barbed-wire barricades. On a visit to the young soldiers, Mascagni saw his first battle.

"This is indeed music," he wrote. "It seems as if all the big drums in my orchestra had been multiplied by a million and suddenly gone mad."

The composer gave open-air concerts in the trenches, on one occasion attended by the king of Italy, and he set himself at work on a great patriotic symphony, designed to be a musical apotheosis of Italy's "war of redemption."

### Mine Wrecks Garden

While sitting on the back porch of her home, Mrs. William Dolmetsch of the 700 block, on North Bromley avenue, Scranton, Pa., saw the rear portion of the yard sink into a mine working, exposing numerous mine props, while a short distance away a similar settling exposed men at work in the mines. In each case the gardens have dropped about 15 feet. The home of Matthew Scott has escaped damage, but the earth on all sides has sunk, making the residence appear as though on an island.

Few streets in the city are suffering worse damage from mine caves than Bromley avenue. Gardens, posts, trees and sidewalks have fallen in.

### She Knew Him Best

It was an after-supper party on the porch.

For days on just such occasions, Oldman Cabon had been making sour remarks regarding the money the administration is spending to remain sane and conduct a war at the same time. Sometimes Oldman C. brought out a little hammer and rapped on the porch swing.

"I wish I wuz in Washington where I could take a rap attum," he said. "Td show them some things."  
"You," plied his wife. "Oh, yes, you, who cannot even make our poodle dog behave."

### TELL OF ENEMY'S APPROACH

Certain Birds and Animals Make the  
Best Kind of Sentinels That an  
Army Can Employ.

A wounded soldier, asked what had surprised him most in the battle zone, told of finding a robin's nest in an empty shell case.

As a rule birds are the finest sentinels in the animal kingdom. They become aware of approaching aircraft long before man hears anything. Early in the war parrots were kept at the Eiffel tower as sentinels, but they grew accustomed to the sound of enemy planes and were no longer of use. Pheasants always grow restless and chatter noisily if Zeppelins are approaching, even when they are far away, so far that man can hear no sound.

What is perhaps stranger is the fact that such ordinary creatures as pigs should sight a balloon when it is coming over. The "blister" makes no sound, yet, should one appear against the sky, miles from a farmyard, the farmer will be made aware of the fact by the curious antics of his pigs and the clucking of his hens.

Toy dogs always are susceptible to the presence of danger, and many a pet shows uneasiness before a raid. Cats, too, show fear of gunfire and seem to know when danger threatens.

Dogs, birds and horses are very sensitive to sound. Watch the birds during a daylight raid, listen to the dogs, and visit the stable where the horse restively stamps up and down. But that all animals can accustom themselves to sounds that cause fear is proved by our cavalry horses, dogs that accompany their masters into the firing line, and the robin's nest in the empty shell case.

### VICTIM OF GERMAN "KULTUR"

Irvin S. Cobb Writes of Work of Beast  
of Berlin, as He Saw It in  
London Hospital.

In a London hospital I saw a little girl who had been most terribly maimed in an air raid. I am not going to dwell on the state of this child. When I think of her I have not the words to express the feelings that I have. But one of her hands was gone at the wrist and the other hand was badly shattered; so she was just a wretched little brutally abbreviated fragment of humanity, a living fraction, most grievously afflicted.

Her wounds had ceased to pain her, the head nurse told me before we entered, and for the rest of the time she was a good patient, one of the best in the ward.

She was lying, when I saw her, with her head propped upon a pillow that was no whiter than her face was, and there was a pitiful writhing of a smile on her poor little pinched common-place face, and to her breast, with the bandaged stump of one arm and with her remaining hand that was swathed in a clump of wrapping, she cuddled up a painted china doll which somebody had brought to her, and she was smiling to it.

The sight, I take it, would have been very gracious in the eyes of his imperial majesty of Prussia—except, of course, that the little girl still lived; that naturally would be a drawback to his complete enjoyment of the spectacle.—Irvin S. Cobb in the Saturday Evening Post.

### Move to Save Wild Turkeys

The prisoners in the state penitentiary of Washington run, among other things, a game bird farm. Until lately they have raised wild turkeys for the Thanksgiving dinner for the convicts.

The fact that wild turkeys have been killed in such numbers in the forests of the western part of the state that they have almost disappeared has caused the state game warden to decide to take up the business of raising them on a larger scale and flocks will hereafter be liberated each summer to populate the woods.

The wild turkeys are larger and harder than the domestic breeds, and the warden, whose name is L. R. Darwin, is experimenting with cross-breeds. He hopes to develop a bird that will be useful to poultrymen and yet be able to sustain itself in the woods.

### Tommy Sized It Up

Tom's kindergarten teacher took her class to see the chickens in the school yard. A homely brown hen was mothering a brood of fancy chickens hatched in an incubator. The aristocratic chicks had tufts of feathers on their heads. Tommy quickly noted the difference between hen and chicks and blurted out: "Pshaw, she can't be their mother." Then, after a moment's consideration, he added with an air of conviction: "Oh, I guess she's only the nursegirl."

### Chinese Admitted to Bar

Chang Chung Wing, a native of California, is an attorney at law, the first Chinese-American to be admitted to the bar in the state. He was given his legal papers by the district court of appeals, before which he was examined, having passed with a percentage of 98 out of a possible 100. He was one of the three highest men in the class of 86, of whom 49 passed the examinations.

Importance of Canned Tomatoes.  
Canned tomatoes fill such an important place in feeding our army that the government asks for an increase of 50 per cent from tomato-canning states. In addition to furnishing food value for energy, the tomato quenches the thirst of men and calls for less water consumption in the camp or on the march.—People's Home Journal.

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### LOCAL NEWSNOTES

George W. White, bookkeeper at the Tyer Rubber Company office, has returned from a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Ruth Turner of the Andover Savings Bank office, leaves today for a three weeks' vacation, part of which will be spent at Conomo Point.

William H. Doughty of Ballardvale, who went with the quota to Camp Devens last week, has returned, because of his rejection on account of physical disability.

Charles William Davis, George Henry Keefe, and Michael John McGrath left town Tuesday morning for Syracuse, N. Y. They will enter some special form of service. The usual Red Cross outfit and smokes were given them.

Rev. and Mrs. George E. Sanderson are spending a part of their vacation at the home of S. T. Wood on Porter road. Mr. Sanderson, who is pastor of the Methodist church in Mittineague, was at one time settled in North Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Sweeney of Chestnut street, with their four daughters, Mary, Katharine, Margaret and Elizabeth, left town Tuesday morning to go to a new home in Hollywood, California, where Mr. Sweeney has secured a position. Miss Katharine was formerly supervisor at the local telephone exchange, and Mary and Margaret were operators at the same place until they resigned on account of leaving town.

### Hold Your Liberty Bonds

To successfully finance the war it is necessary that owners of Liberty bonds hold their bonds if possible. Where for any good reason it is necessary for them to turn their bonds into cash they should seek the advice of their bankers.

Liberty loan bonds are very desirable investments, and crafty individuals are using various means to secure them from owners not familiar with stock values and like matters. One method is to offer to exchange for Liberty bonds stocks or bonds of doubtful organizations represented as returning much higher income than the bonds.

There are various other methods used and likely to be used, some of the gold-brick variety and others less crude and probably within the limits of the law. All offers for Liberty bonds except for money and at market value should be scrutinized carefully. The bonds are the safest of investments and have nontaxable and other valuable features.

To hold your Liberty loan bonds, if possible, is patriotic. To consult your bankers before selling them is wise.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.  
To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Jane Close late of Andover in said County, deceased; and to the Treasurer and Receiver General of said Commonwealth.  
WHEREAS, Nathaniel E. Rankin, public administrator, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County, on the second day of September A.D. 1918, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.  
And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by serving copy of said citation on the Treasurer and Receiver General of said Commonwealth fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.  
HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

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WANTED—A man or boy for general work, or whole or part time. Apply to N. E. BARTLETT, 59 Central St., Andover.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Catherine Johnson late of North Andover in the County of Essex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to him.

(Address)  
18 Summer Street,  
Salem, Mass.  
July 27th, 1918.  
JOHN ROBINSON, Executor.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth Playdon late of Andover, in said County, wife of Alfred G. Playdon deceased, intestate.  
WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Thomas J. Ryan of Methuen in the County of Essex or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the fifth day of August A.D. 1918, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.  
HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Edwin W. Pierce late of Andover, in said County, deceased.  
WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and a codicil—of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for probate, by Walter Coulson who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, one of the executors therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond (Seth F. Dawson and Justin E. Varney, the other executors therein named having declined to serve).

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the second day of September A.D. 1918, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.  
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.  
HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.  
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